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BILLY SMITH IN THE GAME

Marion Man Before the Elson Probe Committee.

SHEDS NEW LIGHT ON PHONE MATTER

Repeats a Conversation Had with Member Elson.

Mr Smith Testifies That Elson, Who Swore He Drew the Bill Himself, Told Him That He, Elson, Had Been Assisted by Cyrus Huling, the Attorney of the Columbus Independent Phone Company.

Columbus, O, April 7—Before the bribery probe committee this morning, Representative Smith, of Marion testified that Representative Elson told him that Cyrus B Huling local attorney for the Citizens Telephone company of Columbus the independent system controlled by the Morgan interests had assisted him in drawing the Elson telephone merger bill

Representative Smith flatly contradicted the testimony of Representative Elson

Elson swore that nobody had assisted him in drafting the measure

Elson's and my desk adjoin and in more than one conversation about the Elson bill, Elson told me that Cyrus B Huling, Columbus attorney for the Citizens' Telephone company, the independent system controlled by the J P Morgan interests, had helped him draw the bill, Smith testified

Joe Heintzman and John Murphy, of Cincinnati, have asked for a hearing before the committee and Louis Bernard, the Cincinnati Democratic boss, who is accused by Democratic Floor Leader Winters of offering to help him land the nomination for secretary of state in return for his vote for the Elson bill, will be here this afternoon

Chairman Langdon said today the committee may call none of the lobbyists To do so would be extending them immunity from prosecution

Advised Against It.

Representative Robert Le Blonde of Cincinnati, who voted for the merger bill, said he had intended moving for a reconsideration, but Speaker Mooney, Representative Brenner, of Springfield, and members of the Cincinnati delegation had advised him not to do so

Democratic politicians of Dayton wanted the Elson merger bill passed without any amendments, according to the testimony of Representative Mahlon Gebhart, of Montgomery county Mayor Edward E Burkhart, of Dayton, and A F Dwinner, a member of the county committee, urged such action

'Representative Pears, of Lima, told me that he had been offered $100 to vote for the Elson bill, testified Representative George M Wilber, of Union county

The testimony of Representative Frank Woods, of Medina county, created a sensation

Representative Frank Moritz, of Cleveland, told me he had been offered $50 by another member of the house to vote against a motion to reconsider the Elson merger bill Woods testified 'I asked him if he could prove it, and he said nobody overheard the offer'

Attorney Sullivan tried to get from Woods the name of the legislator who had offered Moritz $50 but Woods insisted Moritz had not named the man Moritz was away attending the funeral of his father when the votes on the Elson bill were taken Moritz will be examined today

Woods also testified that he inferred from a conversation with Representative Geleerd, of Toledo that improper advances had been made to Geleerd by the telephone lobby Geleerd will be called

Money for Vote

Columbus, O, April 7—Representative Pears, of Allen county was offered money to vote for the Elson telephone merger bill according to testimony of three witnesses given before the house committee last night

Representative A A Huber of Defiance county, testified that Pears told him, after the passage of the bill, that he had been offered $100 to vote for it

Ralph La Blonde, of the Toledo News-Bee staff, told of a signed interview with Pears telling of money offered and of a two hours talk with Pears in which the latter said he had been offered first $100 and later a larger but indefinite amount to vote for the bill

Pears said he would name the man who made the offer to either a legislative committee or to Gov Hoot Harmon

George V Sheridan of the Columbus Citizen staff presented a statement signed by Representative Wilbert saying that Pears had told him of the offer of money to vote for the bill and of another man not named who had told of similar offers

Pears who was originally in favor of the bill did not vote for it

Pears was unable to appear last night owing to the illness of his wife

Degenhart Outwitted

Representative Degenhart of Cincinnati testified he had announced that he would move for a reconsideration of the vote by which the bill was passed The Thursday following the passage the last day on which the vote could be reconsidered he tried twice unsuccessfully to get the floor and then made an arrangement with the speaker to be recognized Shortly after 4 o'clock he was called into the corridor outside by John Murphy telephone representative from Cincinnati and they were joined a few minutes later by Representative Brenner Both urged him not to make the motion to reconsider

When Degenhart got away a few minutes later he found that the house had just adjourned, an hour earlier than usual on motion of Representative Irvin of Meigs and that his last chance to reconsider was gone

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HE MAY WRITE TO ROOSEVELT

Pope Is Seriously Considering Such Action, Says Report,

REGARDING THE RECENT INCIDENT

Cardinal Merry del Val Generally Being Censured.

The Feeling in Italy Is That the Roosevelt Matter Is Another Such Blunder as Should Mark His Retirement from Responsible Position Which He Holds—Most Regrettable Blunder of Papal Career

Rome, April 7—There is semi-official authority today for the statement that if the Pope can find a way to do so without arraigning too severely the conduct of Cardinal Merry del Val, he will send a letter to Colonel Roosevelt regretting the Vatican incident

It is known that several of the Pope's closest advisers are urging him to do this regardless of the consequences to the papal secretary of state but the Pope has expressed the desire not to embarrass the cardinal

There is no doubt in the minds of any of those who have talked with the Pope, that he regards the breach in the negotiations between Roosevelt and the Vatican as the most regrettable incident of his career as pontiff One of the highest officials in the Vatican household declared today that "If it were all to do over no such unseemly situation would arise'

The Pope's consideration for Cardinal Merry del Val is not shared generally by the cardinals or those in authority in Catholic circles Among them the feeling is strong that the papal secretary has committed another blunder and one that should mark his retirement from the responsible position he holds This sentiment finds frequent expression both in public utterances of high clerics and in papers friendly to the Vatican

Cancels Appointment

Rome April 7—Champions of Colonel Roosevelt's course in the Vatican controversy are today making much of a newly developed incident which they say shows the dictatorial methods of Cardinal Merry del Val

The Cologne Choral society which is now visiting in Rome has in engagement to sing at the Vatican before the Pope and the cardinals On the day before the date set for its appearance at the Vatican the society visited the palace and sang before the king and queen

When Merry del Val heard of this he cancelled the appointment to sing at the Vatican, though no notice had been given the society that its appearance at the palace would make impossible an engagement at the Vatican

MURDERER IS UNDER ARREST

Cletus Willaman Is Taken in the Windy City.

WANTED AT CANTON FOR DOUBLE MURDER

He Is Reported To Have Made a Confession.

Tells Windy City Police That Warren Koons, the Father-in-Law, and Mrs. Koons, Who Are Killed in Their Home, Exerted an Hypnotic Influence Over Him—Bloody Clothing in His Suitcase

Canton O April 7—Word reached here that Cletus Willaman who is under arrest in Chicago will be brought back to Canton today to stand trial for the murder of his father in law Warren E Koons 60 and of Koons wife The crime was revealed by Earl Koons 10 son of the slain couple

Investigation showed that Mrs Koons had been shot dead and her husband had been beaten to death with a brick Mrs Koons' body also showed contusions from the brick and Koons had been shot in the head though the bullet had glanced

The Koons boy says that aroused by sounds of shots he went to investigate and that Willaman standing over the bodies hurled a brick at him The boy had a severe contusion on the head The police found the gas jets in the house turned on and it was the gas they believe that kept the boy in a semi comatose condition until several hours after the commission of the crime

Willaman who is 36 years old is the husband of the daughter of Koons' former wife He bought a ticket at Massillon for Montana He boarded a train then ostensibly for the west but according to the Koons boy he came to their home and requested lodging The police theory of a planned robbery is complicated by a statement credited to Willaman in Chicago that the Koons couple held a mysterious influence over him Officers here have been advised that Willaman will not fight extradition He is said by the Chicago police to have confessed the double murder A bloodstained revolver and clothes were found in his suitcase

Arrest of Willaman.

Chicago, April 7—Cletus Willaman, the young farmer who was arrested here late yesterday afternoon charged with the murder of Warren Koons and his wife at Canton, Ohio, will be taken back to the Ohio city today

Willaman was arrested on a Pennsylvania train as it entered Chicago following a telegram from the Canton police that Willaman had last been seen near the Pennsylvania depot in Canton He readily admitted his identity

The police so far, have only obtained a partial confession from the man, but a bloodstained revolver and undershirt were found in his suitcase When asked why he killed Koons and his wife Willaman said

'The evil spirit was in me I don't know anything about it When the proper time comes I will talk

Further than this Willaman, who appeared to be mentally disturbed, refused to deny or admit the crime There was an insane gleam in his eye, and he talked continually about an evil spirit The police are of the opinion that he is suffering from religious mania Soon after being placed in a cell Willaman asked for a Bible

The murdered man was the father of Willaman's wife and the woman was her stepmother

Willaman has a wife and three-year old child in Canton

Will Tell All.

Chicago, April 7— If my wife will stick by me, I will tell everything, was the statement made today by Cletus Willaman under arrest here on charge of murdering Warren Koons and his wife at Canton, Ohio Tuesday night

Willaman was examined today by Chief of Detectives Wood, of Chicago, and Police Chief Smith and Detective Ryan, of Canton He said he would return to Canton without extradition, but he refused to make any statement regarding the Koons killing until he had talked to his wife

The police say Willaman is demented, but not demented enough not to realize his guilt, if he murdered Koons and his wife

Chief Smith declares Willaman had quarreled with Koons and his wife because he wanted to buy some land at Glasgow, Montana Koons refused to give Willaman any money to buy the land Smith says because Willaman had already squandered $3 000 of Mrs Willaman's money

Willaman said he was on the way to Glasgow when he was arrested

Today after his examination by the police, Willaman called for pens and paper and wrote the following note to his wife

Dear family —If I did call you so—You write to Rundle and sell that land Come and see me when I get back to Canton if you care for me any longer Cletus'

BROOKLYN BANK CLOSES ITS DOORS

Steady Withdrawals Exhaust Bank's Ready Cash

New York April 7—The Borough bank of Brooklyn a state institution is closed today and officials of the state banking department are in charge

President Broc R Sheats issued the following statement

The effect of the closing of the Union bank has been severely felt by the Borough bank during the last few days It has shown itself in a quiet but constant, withdrawals of deposits at both the main office and the branch and resulted in exhaustions, the bank's ready cash

At a meeting of the board of directors of the bank last night the situation was fully considered and it was decided best not to open the bank this morning"

The bank has a paid up capital of $200 000 and its deposits are estimated over $1 500,000

To Reopen Monday

Lorain O, April 7—The plant of the National Tube company closed last week because of lack of a coal shortage on account of the miners strike, was ordered to be reopened Monday Twenty eight hundred men will resume work

YEGGS ROB A SUCKER BANK

After Binding and Gagging an Electrician

AND A WATCHMAN ON DUTY AT BANK

Dynamite Safe and Get Away with $1,200.

Coal City People Where the Job Is Done, Notify the Authorities at Mazon City, Who Lay for the Train Upon Which the Robbers Escape and Shoot Three of Quintet, One of them Fatally

Joliet, Ill, April 7—Three men were shot one fatally, in a fight at Mazon, Illinois early today following the robbery of the Bank of Coal City, at Coal City Illinois, by five masked yeggmen who fled with $1,200 The three wounded men deny they participated in the robbery, but the police at Morris, Illinois are holding them on the robbery charge

The five yeggmen entered Coal City at midnight, bound and gagged W Syre an electrician and John Gippo night watchman at the bank, and dynamited and looted the bank's safe At 1 40 they boarded a southbound Santa Fe train and the authorities at Mazon, Illinois were notified

A posse stopped the train and five men immediately alighted and began firing In the revolver fight that followed two of the five men received slight wounds about the body Another was shot through the head and will die

After twenty shots had been exchanged and all of the men had been wounded the train started again and the five men leaped back on it and disappeared The posse The Mazon posse met Sheriff Steele at Morris, and organized another posse which pursued several automobiles into service and started down the road paralleling the Santa Fe tracks The posse met the train this side of Verona and opened fire on the yeggs on top of the train The train stopped and Sheriff Steele searched the cars In an empty box car he found the three wounded men They offered no resistance and were taken to jail at Morris The other two bandits with the $1 000 loot leaped off the train outside of Verona

ODD VIEWS OF EMIL SEIDEL

Elected This Week To Be Mayor of Milwaukee,

WILL SURPRISE THE POLITICIANS

He Is Great Believer in Municipal Ownership

Would Have the City Own Its Public Utilities and Slaughter Its Own Meat—Does Not Expect Any of His Fellow-Socialists To Apply to Him for Fat Jobs—How Devil Gets Children

Milwaukee, Wis April 7—Emil Seidel pattenmaker and Socialist mayor elect of Milwaukee has unique views that will set the professional politicians by the ears when he assumes control of the affairs of Wisconsin's metropolis

Notwithstanding that he is today the idol and the hope of all American Socialists, the little man is undismayed by the responsibilities which confront him He feels the power of a deep conviction—and despite his modest bearing believes he can so construct and apply his theories as to compel the respect and admiration of the unbelieving

Monopoly as it exists today Seidel said is is crushing as the feudalism of the middle ages only more so

The over lord of the middle ages gave his subjects a bit of land for their own use The industrial over lord of today does not allow his workman to own his own tools and appropriates the profit of it after paying him a wage for his labor So the attitude has become just this The owner does not use the tool and the user does not own the tool Now we Socialists believe the tool and its profit must be returned to the user The way we think is clear

Talks on Monopoly

Monopoly is here whether we like it or not We can't divide up the tool piece by piece, without destroying it So we insist on public monopoly instead of private monopoly and will begin with those monopolies that oppose us all most

If the city takes the part of the middle man in slaughtering its meat his big profit will be clipped from the present prohibitive prices It's the same way with ice and other necessities down to the cutting of burial prices when we die

We don't raise campaign money through the corporations We take up a collection after a mass meeting and here in Milwaukee we are the only bodies of men who could go away from a meeting even if it were held in a saloon, without taking a drink

No Job-Seekers.

'Then there isn't the job-seeking with us During the five years I've been an alderman not one comrade has asked me for anything and they will not now We Socialists are after something better than that

'And then the children—that brings me to the biggest thing in good government—making good citizens of the boys and girls

As it is now in society a young man dissolute to a more or less degree, marries a carefully-brought up girl The children are the sufferers physically and mentally

The reason' Why, what have we as cities done for our children Parents are so stupid that in their desire to have their children good they give them nothing they want

Devil Knows How

But the devil knows more he gets them by giving them attractions He has shown how many he can lure with music and dancing and moving-picture show and we Socialists believe the same attractions should be in the schools and other social centers, where they can be enjoyed under the right influences Besides we want parlors well conducted where the girl who lives in a hall bedroom or home where she can't entertain can have the callers she otherwise meets on the street

'Up to the age of fourteen, here in Milwaukee, we spend about $22 per capita on our children's schooling, then ninety per cent goes into the factories and ten per cent goes to the high school For that ten we spend $3 more per capita, while the other ninety help pay for it Yet the city does nothing for this ninety and we Socialists believe the ninety are not being the citizens or bear the burden

We intend to shorten the working hours of these children and provide some means for adding more education to their toil days

It all that doesn't explain what we mean by Socialism why here's something shorter he concluded Socialism is satisfaction in work that melts and blends women and men together for the good of all It's going to make Milwaukee famous for something better than it has been

Mrs Seidel does her own work but has time to help her husband with his writing for magazines

There's one child Viola twelve a pretty little girl who didn't seem to bother her father a bit by playing noisily with her kittens while he talked

REV. SIMON P LONG IS HELD NOT GUILTY

Of Charges of Conduct Unbecoming a Minister

Mansfield, O, April 7—Rev Simon P Long, president of Wittenberg synod and pastor of the First Lutheran church of Mansfield was this morning found not guilty of charges of conduct unbecoming a minister and immorality at the concluding night session, of the eastern conference of Wittenberg synod The trial was not concluded until daybreak The conference found the evidence insufficient to substantiate the charges made by an investigating committee of five ministers

Postmaster at Cleveland.

Washington April 7—Raymond G Floyd was today nominated as postmaster at Cleveland, Ohio

THEY SIDESTEP THE SPOTLIGHT

Colonel and Mrs. Roosevelt Take to Automobile

FOR THEIR SECOND HONEYMOON TRIP

Colonel Bids Farewell to Corps of Newspaper Men.

Leaves Them at Spezia with a Promise That He Will Wire Them Daily as an Evidence of Good Faith—Roosevelts Will Visit Miss Carow and Then Go to Vienna Via Genoa

Spezia Italy, April 7—Colonel and Mrs Theodore Roosevelt began their second honeymoon here today

The trip from Rome was made in a special car A group of newspaper correspondents came this far with the colonel but they parted from him here in respect to his desire for a few days privacy

As the special car was switched to a sidetrack, Roosevelt waved a farewell to the correspondents

Roosevelt agreed with the correspondents that he would telegraph them each day a brief account of the movements of himself and wife during the time that he is separated from them, which will be until April 13

I promise you too Mr Roosevelt not to waste my telegraph tolls I will turn over to you boys when I see you again all my hotel vouchers so that you may know that I have been playing fair with you

Conditions Ideal

Idyllic conditions suited for the romance that the colonel and Mrs Roosevelt will recall greeted them on their arrival here The wealth of an Italian spring morning was in evidence The green terraced hills almost glistened in the bright sunshine and pink cherry blossoms and budding vineyards made the picture almost fairylike in its beauty

In the spring of 1887 shortly after their marriage in London, the Roosevelts made the same trip by carriage and will retrace the route of nearly a quarter of a century ago as closely as possible

After arriving at Genoa, the trip to Porto Maurizio where three days will be spent at the villa of Mrs Roosevelt's sister Miss Carow, will be made by train

After the stay at Porto Maurizio the Roosevelts will return to Genoa for a brief stay before proceeding to Vienna

A Duelist Killed

Algiers April 7—M Houbo and M Robert two candidates for the French chamber of deputies, fought a pistol duel here today Robert being killed The duel grew out of a newspaper controversy between them, in which each bitterly assailed the other

REVENGE AND NOT ROBBERY

Is Believed To Have Been Motive for Killings

IN VICTOR BANK AT M'KEES ROCKS

That Is the Theory Now Held by Detectives.

Foreigners in the Vicinity Are Thought To Have Made the Attack on Banker Friedman in Settlement of Personal Grievances, Not Intending at First To Make Any Attempt To Rob Bank.

Pittsburg, Pa, April 7—Working on the theory that the bandits who shot and instantly killed Manager Samuel Friedman and Cashier Ignatz Swartz of the Victor bank at McKees Rocks and then escaped with $400 are foreigners and that the settlement of a personal grievance against Friedman was the motive, detectives today resumed their search for the desperadoes

County Detectives McMillen and Roach, who are working on the case, declared that they expected to make arrests some time today as the result of their discoveries

According to McMillen, it is not believed that the robbers intended killing Swartz and the robbery was an after thought, but it was only with the intention of "finishing" Friedman that the bandits entered the bank Detectives are also working on the theory that there are others implicated To substantiate this the detectives declare that the accomplices carried the two bombs discovered under the bridge with them to the bank and after seeing that their companions made a safe get away, returned home

Hide the Bombs.

Fearing that the authorities might search their houses, they hid the bombs under the bridge The sleuths declare this explains the dry condition of the bombs when found, although it had been raining

The detectives today are attempting to locate three men who are supposed to have stolen a skiff and then towed across the Ohio river not far from the scene of the robbery

Many clews have been run down and exploded by the detectives Detailed descriptions of the four men have been obtained

According to information today, a masked man entered the bank five weeks ago but seeing a large number of foreigners in there, at once left

The detectives believe that the two bombs found may prove an important clue It is said they are almost identical with those used during the pressed steel car company's strike When found they were wrapped in a Croatian newspaper

Six suspects have been released for lack of evidence Superintendent of County Detectives Muth said today that arrests were likely at any time

The funeral of Manager Friedman was held this afternoon

AN ACCIDENT ON THE MARYLAND

Results in Injury of Four Men, One of Whom Dies.

Washington, April 7—The navy department today verified the report of an accident on the cruiser, Maryland, off the Pacific coast, in which four boiler tubes burst injuring two men, one of whom, W Amberson, a coal passer, died on Wednesday Amberson's home was at No 735 Kensington avenue, Kansas City

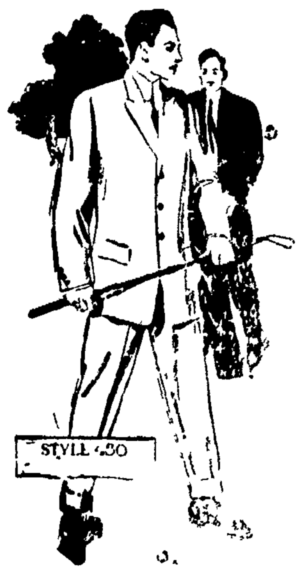
Rear Admiral Harber, commander in chief of the Pacific fleet, who wired in official report of the accident informed the department of a similar mishap on the Colorado in which two boiler tubes burst, without any casualties, however.

TEDDY REPORTS ON SLAUGHTER

Roosevelt Tells Smithsonian Institute of Specimens Secured.

Washington April 7 — It seemed almost like old times in the house when Representative Mann of Illinois arose and read a report signed by Theodore Roosevelt The document was the former president's report to the Smithsonian institute as head of the African expedition It was dated Khartoum Feb 15 and was Rooseveltian even to instances of simplified spelling The former president reports that the expedition has gathered all told 11 376 specimens for the institution.

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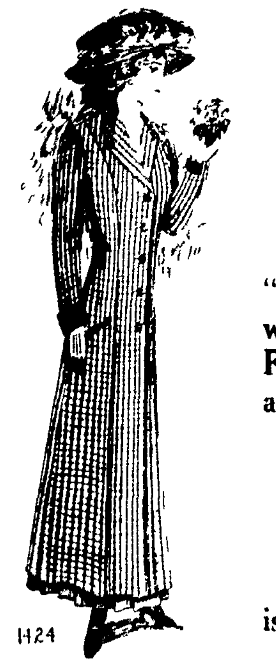
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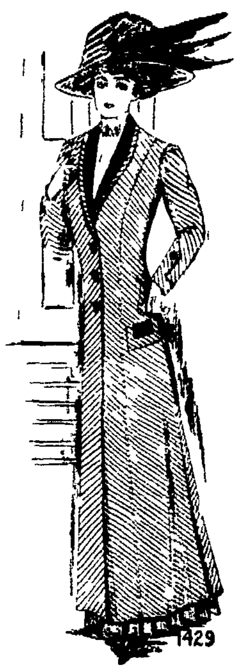
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MRS. AGNES EDELMAN IS SURPRISED BY FRIENDS

A Pleasing Social Affair at the W F Bull Home

MISS DEE IS HOSTESS TO EMBROIDERY CLUB

Members of the C I P Club Are Entertained by Mrs I W Bufford The Amicita Club Members Are the Guests of Mrs I A Weideman Wednesday Afternoon

About twenty five of the friends and neighbors of Mrs Agnes Edelman invaded her home on east Center street Wednesday evening about 8 o'clock, and gave her a very agreeable surprise

The occasion being the celebration of her birthday anniversary she was presented a number of handsome gifts from her friends

The time was pleasantly passed with music and recitations Mrs Marianna Reinicke favored the company with several beautifully rendered piano selections and Miss Wilda Edelman also rendered several numbers splendidly Mrs Edward Thomas Mrs Alice White and little Miss Ruth Chapman sang vocal solos which were very pleasing and Miss Lucile Foreman gave a number of recitations that were very good A fine luncheon was then served after which the company lingered for some time wishing the hostess many happy returns of the day

Those present aside from the members of Mr Edelman's family were Mrs Joseph Reinicke Mrs Samuel Croft Mrs D Jones Mrs Henry Sinning Mrs Mary C Edwards Mrs Alice White Mrs Edward Thomas Mrs Roy I Chapman Mrs Frank Foreman Mrs I I Crawley Mrs Louis Witzel Mrs Ezra G Witsel Mrs Andrew Ingle Mrs Leah Carson Mr Louise Coburn, Miss Marianne Reinicke Miss Margaret Reinicke Mrs Anna Edelman Mrs Emma Berndt Mrs Edith Sinning Mrs Emma Sinning Miss Lucile Foreman and Miss Ruth Chapman

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Mrs W F Bull entertained a small company of her friends at her home on south High street Wednesday afternoon

The time was spent in social chat and the afternoon was a very pleasant one Nice refreshments were served by the hostess

The guests were Mrs Hugh Smith Mrs Louis Schaff Mrs William Ahall Mrs H H Helverstott Mrs Frank Mahaffey Mrs George Martin Mrs I I Buckingham Mrs Harry Griffith Mrs Harl Smith and Mrs Frank Vapli and daughter Miss Catherine

Miss Evelyn Dee pleasantly entertained an Embroidery club at her home on east Farming street Wednesday evening

The young women brought their embroidery work and passed almost the entire time with art needlework and conversation A nice luncheon was a pleasing feature of the evening

The club will meet again next week

The members of the C I P club met with Mrs I W Bufford of the Boulevard Wednesday afternoon for a season of social pleasures

The early part of the afternoon was given to needlework and after that was laid aside two contests were held Mrs I B Luellen and Mrs Elmer Parish winning the prizes and receiving pretty gifts

The remainder of the time was given to music Mrs B I Bumgarner rendering several selections on the piano A luncheon was served

The club guests were Mrs Cleo C Brown Mrs A M Bufford Mrs Glenn Bailey Mrs Charles Conrad and Mrs B I Bumgarner

The next meeting will be held in four weeks with Mrs Nelson Hatch of Avondale street

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Mrs I A Weideman entertained the Amicita club at her home on Oak street Wednesday afternoon nearly all the members being present

After an hour of embroidery work the study of domestic economy was taken up and a general discussion held on the subject Mrs I W Cunningham acted as leader Well prepared papers were read by Mrs I D Hughes Mrs W I Cunningham Mrs Willis Draper and Mrs Harvey Long

An elegant luncheon was then served in the dining room the table decorations being a huge bouquet of themes in the center of the table and the blossoms also being scattered over the cloth

The next meeting of the club will be held in two weeks

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A number of friends and relatives of Mrs Mary A Stafford gathered at her home on Fountain street Saturday evening and helped her celebrate her forty ninth birthday anniversary She was nicely remembered The evening was a most enjoyable one

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Mrs Frank Lust entertained the Bridge club at her home on St James street Wednesday afternoon

Two tables of contestants enjoyed ... of the games at the conclusion of which the honors ... Mrs C I Sanford who ... a handsome brass candle ... The hostess then served a ... luncheon

Mrs Jessie Misden of Lima and Mrs C I Sanford were the ... guests of the club

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Mrs Carrie Wi... ... ... Mrs W M ... will ... [illegible]

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dle Over the cloth jonquils ... were thrown and at each corner of the table ... candlesticks with pretty yellow and white shaded ... during the hours ... yellow and white ... the menu and floral place card After dinner the bride drew ... package which had been attached by yellow ribbons to her place at the table and found many beautiful pieces of linen

Those present were Mrs Charles Wright of Pittsburg Mrs Jessie Misden of Lima Mrs Ira R Allen Mrs H John Cobbold Mrs Craig B Christian Jr Mrs Fred erick Dombaugh Mrs John Evans Mrs H F Hen Mrs Harry C Bimbarr Mrs Frank S Keller Mrs Frank Ebaly Mrs O S Rapp Mrs M I Sullivan Mrs Earl I Smart Mrs George H Shute Mrs C I Sanford Mrs Alice Crow Miss Pearl Furry and the honor guest Miss Wright

Gifts were also received from Mrs Charles I Allen Mrs W B DeVeny Mrs A C Bachman Mrs Charles I Mrs I ... Miss Jessie Fisher and Miss Abigail Harding members who were not able to be present and from a number residing out of the city

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Mr and Mrs F I Vanderburg who were recently married were given a surprise Saturday evening at their home on north Main street by the operators of the Marion County Telephone company's exchange and their gentlemen friends Mrs Vanderburg was formerly Miss Helen A Mack and was employed as an operator at the telephone exchange

The evening was spent socially and refreshments were served

Those present were Miss Katherine Sweeney Miss Katherine Rafferty Miss Goldie Ames Miss Rhea Ward Miss Dessie Bland Mr Ray Randall Mr Frank McDaniel Mr William Hudson Mr William Cavin and Mr Charles King

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Miss Delmma Hawley pleasantly entertained an Embroidery club at her home on west Church street Tuesday evening The young women spent the evening with their needle work over which they chatted pleasantly The hostess served a dainty luncheon

The next meeting will be held in two weeks

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Mrs George Griffith of Dix avenue pleasantly entertained the members of Lydia circle of the Central Christian church Tuesday evening Needlework was enjoyed and refreshments were served The next meeting will be held the 1st Tuesday in May

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The members of the M E club were delightfully entertained by Mr and Mrs Henry M Mumford at their home on Silver street Tuesday evening

Four tables were arranged for the players and a series of progressive ... games enjoyed At the conclusion of the series a prize was presented to Mrs F C Flemming who won first honors Mr C D Andrews ... consolation

After a fine luncheon which was served at the card tables several musical selections were rendered among them a duet by Mr C D Andrews and Mr Willis Fulsnagh

The guests of the club were Miss ... Hemmy and Mr Lloyd Mumford

The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Mr and Mrs Willis Fernnalt of ... street

Mrs ... Mill was a charming ... company of her young ... at her home on the ... evening

... Mill's home ... spring blossoms ... appear ... evening and ... served

... were guests of ... South State ... the time ... conversation and ... The hostess ... will be held in

... Baker enter

tained the members of the Acme club at their home on east Center street Tuesday evening

The time was given to progressive euchre there being ... tables of players There was an interesting series of games

The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Mr and Mrs A P Law on of east Center street

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A farewell party was given, Monday evening, for Mr Harry Fellers and Mr Edson Downs at the home of Mr A I Fellers on the Boulevard Mr Fellers left Tuesday morning for Sapulpa Oklahoma where he will reside and Mr Downs left for Flint Michigan Each of the boys was presented a beautiful signet ring by his friend as a token of the friendship in which he is held Mr Downs father then gave each a handsome bound testament

Amid clusters of cherry blossoms, which were used in the decorations of the home the young people whiled away several hours pleasantly with games and music Several recitations were rendered by the boys sextet after which nice refreshments were served

Those present were Mr and Mrs Downs Mr and Mrs E Garver Mrs Morrison Mr Daugherty Miss Dorothy Welch Mr Irene Utermoehlen Miss Helen Daugherty Miss Thelma Daugherty Mr Gertrude Redd Miss Maud Crawley Miss Gladys Schweinfurth Mr ... Johnson Miss Lois Johnson Mr Eva Downs Miss Edith Daugherty Miss Ethel Pickerel Mrs Dora Worline Mr Osborne Mr Clam ... Lagnard Mr Walter Buchanan Mr Plummer Jolly Mr Jess Carver Mr Charles Garver Mr Frank Welch Mr Denver Patton Mr Harry Fellers and Mr Edson Downs

SLAUGHTER HOUSES ARE IN BAD SHAPE

According to the Report of Party Visiting Them

I W Kh... ... Clark Dix and ... members of the township ... D O Weeks president of the city board ... health officer and ... township health officer ... that visited the ... houses southwest of ... Wednesday afternoon for ... making an inspection ... report that the ... were in bad shape ... as they should ... the offall is go ... drain and that a ... would cause a per ... vegetarian diet

... of the city and ... boards will be held ... at which time ... matter will be ... taken

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

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Marriage licenses have been issued to ... Wartsbaugh of Marion ... W Bask of Forest ... Knoppenberger and ... Friday

... Due to Measles

... aged little ... and Mrs William ... boulevard died ... complications at ... Thursday at ... funeral services will ... home Saturday ... o'clock ... officiating

... imagines ... apron

TO BE BURIED SIDE BY SIDE IN MARION

Bodies of the Late Mr and Mrs J D Storer

REMAINS OF MRS STORER ARRIVE THURSDAY

She Dies in Yonkers New York When Enroute to Marion To Visit Relatives—Husband a Prominent Chicago Lawyer Passes Away in Chicago, Eighteen Years Ago

Although J D Storer a well known Chicago attorney died eighteen years ago and was buried in Chicago, the remains will be brought here and buried in Marion cemetery beside his wife Mrs Cornelia Todd Storer whose body arrived in Marion Thursday from Yonkers New York

Mrs Storer who lived in New York City died suddenly of heart trouble a month ago when on her way to Marion to visit relatives She was stricken at the home of her son Meade Storer at Yonkers

The remains were accompanied here by Mr and Mrs John W Wheaton of New York City Mrs Wheaton being a daughter of the deceased At the time of Mrs Storer's death Mr and Mrs Wheaton were making an extended foreign tour and the remains were held in New York until they returned to the United States

Mrs Storer's body was taken to the H Schaffner company's morgue on south Main street The funeral services were held at St Paul's Episcopal church of which the deceased was a member Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock Rev Richard McClellan Brown the rector officiated

Mrs Storer was about sixty three years old and was very well known in this city She was a sister of the late Mrs M P Shaw who died about two years ago and leaves a number of nieces and nephews in Marion Her children are Mrs J W Wheaton of New York City Mrs Harry Sinclair of Boston Mrs Elsie Bergegrun and Harry Storer of Chicago and Meade Storer of Yonkers New York

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Whatever the object of its dissemination may have been it has certainly set official life worrying.

Old Murder Mystery Cleared

Washington Pa April The mysterious disappearance of a wealthy ... from Washington 24 years ago ... cleared up ... of a skeleton ... here

ENOUGH ARSENIC TO KILL AN ARMY

Is Found in Cheap Mattress in the Bedroom,

IN WHICH MEMBERS OF A FAMILY DIE

Attorney Saves His Client from Electric Chair

The Innocence of Mary Kelliher Convicted by Circumstantial Evidence of the Deaths of Six Members of Her Family, After Living for Eighteen Months in the Shadow of Chair Is Established

Boston April — For nights and days I have prayed to God to show my innocence to the world I never lost hope I believed that justice would eventually be done me but at times the long wait almost crazed me But God worked in His own time and I am now free And it is so much better to be out in the blessed sunshine than behind those cruel bars of iron

Blaming no one and hysterically happy in her recovered freedom Mary Kelliher who for eighteen months sat in the shadow of the electric chair as the result of a chain of circumstantial evidence which seemed to prove her guilty of the murder of six members of her family today voiced her thankfulness that her innocence had at last been established She gave all of the credit for her escape from a felon's death to her attorney Hugh Bancroft who demonstrated to the satisfaction of the district attorney and the court that the woman was a victim of fate

Bancroft alone was convinced his client was innocent He enlisted the services of a well known toxicologist and they set to work systematically to find out what caused the deaths There was no doubt of the presence of arsenic in all of the bodies and to locate its source was the work of the expert and the lawyer

In One Bedroom

They eventually discovered that most of those who died had been cared for in a small dark bedroom meagerly furnished After examining the room the expert voiced a suspicion that the cheap hair mattress was really responsible for the deaths

A portion of the hair was examined and it was found to be charged with enough arsenic to kill an army The authorities were notified At first they were skeptical but investigation proved the truth of the suggestion and yesterday tardy justice was done Mary Kelliher when her innocence was proclaimed in open court and she was discharged

No one can realize the suffering and hours of anxiety which were mine during the long weary months declared the unfortunate woman today I knew I was innocent but outside of Mr Bancroft every one seemed to believe me a fiend in human form I prayed and never doubted my prayer would be heard The first night I spent in jail I shall never forget so long as I shall live At first I could hardly understand why I was in such a horrible place Then when it dawned on me that I was accused of killing my loved ones I thought I should go mad But they treated me kindly at the jail and I have no hard feelings now that I am back again in the world of sunshine

NITROGLYCERIN IS USED ON A VAULT

And Robbers Get Away with $10,000 as Booty

Lincoln Neb April 4—The First National bank at Randolph Nebraska was exploded today and robbed of $10,000 in gold and currency

Marshal Carroll was held up in the street bound and gagged and relieved of his gun by three masked men placed in a back room of the bank while the robbers wrecked the vault with nitroglycerin The robbers escaped with their loot

POSTOFFICE SAFE IS BLOWN BY ROBBERS

Money and Stamps Taken—Thieves Steal Horse and Buggy

Columbus O April —The safe in the postoffice at Canal Winchester in Franklin county ... of Columbus was blown by robbers ... o'clock this morning and a small amount of money and stamps taken In making their escape the robbers stole a horse and buggy be-

L. K. LANGDON

Chairman of House Committee Probing Bribery Charges



longing to Fred Cherry a horse from William A Badger and a buggy from Sam H Swisher The rigs were abandoned near Columbus

NIGHT RIDERS' LEADER TAKEN

After Sheriff and Posse Wait Through Night

JESSE ANDERSON CAPTURED TUESDAY

Wanted for Crimes Committed in Kentucky

His Band Murders a Twelve-Year-Old Lad and Whips the Lad's Mother and Her Other Children Another Boy Has Disappeared from Home and It Is Feared That He May Have Been Murdered

Brownsville Ky April —After lying in wait all night in a corn crib at the home of Jesse Anderson alleged leader of a band of Night Riders or Whitecaps that murdered twelve year old ... Carroll and whipped Mrs Carroll and her other children Sheriff ... Vincent and a posse of ... men ... arrested Anderson

Anderson's arrest ... information given ... D I Carroll and ... who say ... They also say that the child ... was killed was ... before ... family had been whipped ... on the ground ... cried to ... her and brother ... to come ... the regulators would not permit ... Instead they whipped his mother and sisters

After the whipping members of the band picked up ... carried ... and threw him ... He died in a few hours ... claims innocence and his attorneys ...

Nothing has been learned of the whereabouts of ... the son of Hardin Minton who was shot by the Night Riders ... The boy recognized several of the band This became known and the next day ... as he was on his way to work he passed ... open new ... Follow ing this three ... and visited his home at night ... and escaped in his night clothes ... the home of a neighbor but ... been seen since Whether ... was murdered or has fled the ... is not known

ARE RUN OVER AND INSTANTLY KILLED

Horrible Fate of Young Man and Woman at Johnstown

Johnstown Pa April —George Lingaman ... and Miss Jessie Myers ... were run over and instantly killed by the Duquesne limited ... at Myersdale in Somerset county Lingaman and Miss Myers were walking along the fifty foot bluff ... he slipped on the ... grasping the girl whom he was ... married in June ... under the wheels of the ... rushing train Both bodies were ... badly mangled

SOCIETY GIRL OF BALTIMORE

Becomes Queen Jessie of Tribe of Gypsies.

QUICKLY TIRES OF THE SOCIAL WHIRL

And Leaves Home To Take Up Nomadic Life

Travels to Europe—Meets a Hindoo Fortune-Teller—Yearns for Outdoor Life—Marries the King of the Gypsies and Is Now with Her Wandering Band in the Vicinity of the Mound City

Baltimore Md April —Tiring of the shams of society as she assured her father in a letter Jessie Key Habersham daughter of A W Habersham a well known broker disappeared from her home here six years ago Today her father received a letter from her telling him she was happily married but still a wanderer on the face of the earth The letter came from St Louis and declared that the former Miss Habersham is now Mrs John Mitchell queen of a tribe of Gypsies and both happy and contented in a life bounded by the four walls and roof of a tent

Miss Habersham made her debut here six years ago and soon afterward went to visit relatives at Saratoga New York There she met the Gypsies and became infatuated with their way of living

John Mitchell's mother was leader of the band and when the girl expressed a desire to become one of the tribe she was accepted Returning to her home in Baltimore she remained there a while and finally left to affiliate with those who later adopted her Shortly afterward she eloped with and married Mitchell

Located at St Louis

St Louis Mo April —Now known as Queen Jessie the wife of King John Mitchell head of a little Romany band now occupying a kingdom in a grove on the outskirts of St Louis Jessie Key Habersham the Baltimore society girl was found today with her gypsy husband and his followers Queen Jessie is twenty four years old She looks strangely out of place in her beaming red head dress and surrounded by the swarthy gypsies

Queen Jessie or Miss Habersham, talked at length regarding her family and former connections saying she had a sister now in society in New York and that her father wanted her to marry a naval officer which she said was the ambition of all Maryland girls After being sent to a finishing school Miss Habersham said she ran away when she was seventeen She took a place as governess in a family and went to Europe

Coming back said Queen Jess I met a Hindoo and through him I became interested in fortune telling Five years ago I became acquainted with King John Mitchell The roving Gypsy life appealed to me and four years ago we were married

Queen Jess says she often writes to her father A W Habersham in Baltimore She gave a history of her family showing that she was related to Francis Scott Key Roger P Taney author of the Dred Scott decision from the supreme court was her great uncle she says

TROOPS ARE PATROLLING STREETS OF GUYAQUIL

Anti-Peruvian Feeling Becomes Serious—Reprisals Demanded

Guyaquil Ecuador April 5—Troops are patroling the streets of this city and Quito as the result of attacks on Peruvians Sunday night and rioting which lasted well into Monday Property of Peruvians valued at $ 0,000 was destroyed and a number of persons were injured

While the government had disavowed the outrage and promised protection the situation is serious as the anti-Peruvian feeling is intense

RAILROAD MEN OFFERED INCREASE

Cincinnati Hamilton & Dayton Men May Accept

Piqua O April 5—J M Scott superintendent of the Cincinnati Hamilton & Dayton railroad Monday offered the ... section men ... five dollars ... a month for foremen and ... cents an hour over time for men The proposal was referred to the committee but a meeting in the superintendent's office in Dayton is expected to end the strike

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS GAIN MANY MEMBERS

Show Healthy Financial Condition 618 Lodges in Ohio

Toledo O April William Ferris grand keeper of records and seal of the Knights of Pythias of Ohio has made public his annual report The total membership for the year ending December 31 1909 is 81,140 as against 81 ... for 1908 an increase of 582 At the end of 1909 there were 618 lodges in the state a loss of two over 1908

The financial condition of the lodges shows $1 ... cash on hand December 31 last

The assets of the grand and subordinate lodges are $2 18 ...

MICHIGAN TOWNS ARE VOTING DRY

Anti-Saloon League Wins Big Victory in Elections

Detroit April In the number of counties carried in the local option election the Anti-Saloon league scored another big victory though in the number of saloons put out of business as compared with the number they tried to kill and failed their showing is not quite so good They abolished ... saloons and six breweries In the counties carried by the wets are 8 saloons and nine breweries

THE DRY WAVE SWEEPING ON

More Counties in the State of Michigan

ARE UNABLE TO RESIST ITS FORCE

Elections Are Held in Thirty Six Yesterday.

Of These, Twenty Vote Dry and Sixteen Wet—282 Saloons and Six Breweries Are Outlawed—The Next Session of the General Assembly of the State Will Be Held in a Dry County.

Detroit Mich April —The Michigan state legislature will meet next year in a dry county as a result of yesterday's local option election in which twenty of the thirty six counties voting on the question, voted dry Grand Rapids and Kent county remain wet by over 7 000

"We expected better but we are happy over the outcome said State Superintendent Morrow, of the Anti Saloon league today

Yesterday's election was a victory of real temperance, said President Harry Ricket of the United States Manufacturers & Merchants association

The proportion of counties carried by the drys this election was not so great as last year, when nineteen out of twenty seven voted dry Of the eighty three counties in Michigan forty two now are dry Thirty of these were dry before yesterday's election and twelve wet counties joined the dry column Eight of the twenty carried by the drys were voting on a resubmission

282 Saloons Are Outlawed

A total of 282 saloons and six breweries are outlawed while in the counties which voted wet 5 ... saloons and nine breweries remain

The new counties that went dry were Antrim Arenac Cass Gladwin Ingham including the city of Lansing Lapeer Lenawee including the city of Adrian Presque Isle Ogemaw Oscoda Otsego Shiawassee Including the city of Owosso

The counties now dry that are held by the prohibition forces after resubmission are St Joe Midland Missaukee Van Buren Clinton Osceola Barry and Oceana

Oakland including the city of Pontiac and Wexford including Cadillac are ... the license ... loon after two years experience with prohibition

The wets won the eight upper peninsula counties voting These are Dickinson Gogebic Marquette Alger Chippewa in which is the Soo Schoolcraft Mackinac and Luce Below the straits the wets carry Kent county including Grand Rapids which ... 00 saloons by 7 ... majority Oakland Wexford Leelanau Ross common Mason St Clair in which is Port Huron, and Lake.

WAR BREWING IN FAR SOUTH

Peru and Ecuador Have Their Backs Bristling

PACIFIC COAST MAY BE INVOLVED

Boundary Lines Are the Origin of the Dispute

For Chile and Colombia Are Already in the Muss, the Mob Spirit Is Rampant and Bloodshed Seems To Be Necessary To Satisfy Disturbed Spanish-Republican Honor—Legations Are Attacked

Washington, April 5—The attacks upon the Peruvian consulate and legation at Guayaquil were followed late last night by attacks upon the Ecuadorian legation in Lima, and today it appears to be almost certain that war between Peru and Ecuador will follow unless there is some interference

W P Cresson charge of the American legation in Lima in despatches received at the state department today says that a mob of Peruvian students attacked the Ecuadorian legation and consulate, removing the shields The president of Peru harangued the mob advising patience and patriotism Crowds afterwards paraded the streets but were orderly

In an earlier despatch the American charge reports that upon the receipt of the news of the attacks upon the Peruvian legation and consulates in Guayaquil the Peruvian government took a most pessimistic view of the situation called out the reserves and placed guards about the Ecuadorian legation He says that the Peruvian government will demand reparation

Appeals To Uncle Sam.

The Peruvian consul has applied to the United States consul at Guayaquil for assistance and the state department in response to a request for instructions today cabled Consul Deitrich permission to afford temporary refuge in his discretion when necessary to preserve innocent human life Deitrich in despatches received today reports that the Ecuadorian mob destroyed the flag, doors and windows of the Peruvian consulate Crowds marched the streets shouting Vive Ecuador Chile and Colombia Many residences and stores of Peruvians were broken into and burned At the time the despatches were filed late yesterday afternoon the mob was still furious and uncontrolled

The official despatches received by the Peruvian government from its representatives in Ecuador were of the most alarming character

The United States government has not as yet decided to take any action or to interfere in the situation which threatens to embroil the entire western part of South America in a general war

May Abandon Conference.

If this should occur, the Pan-American conference at Buenos Ayres next July for which the United States has made preparations, will probably be abandoned

Trouble has been brewing between Peru and Chile on one side, and Peru and Colombia on the other for a long time The dispute with Chile arises over the ownership of the Tacna Arica region the boundary of which is still to be adjusted A short time ago diplomatic relations between Chile and Peru were severed as the result of the expulsion of Peruvian priests Shortly afterwards, according to reports the Chilean government shipped a large consignment of arms to Ecuador The quarrel between Peru and Ecuador arises over the boundary matter which has been submitted to the king of Spain for adjustment Constantly increasing hostility has been displayed by both countries for several weeks and it is now believed that the crisis has been reached

Intense Indignation.

Lima Peru April —The efforts of the anti-Peruvian riots at Quito and Guayaquil has aroused intense indignation here and the populace is demanding armed reprisals The recent troubles of Peruvians in Ecuador and Colombia has aroused the people and unless the United States intervenes and settles the trouble, war seems inevitable.

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Following the spreading of the Power Behind the Throne story some of the critics of the administration have decided that the gossip was disseminated by persons close to the administration for political effect and to embarrass the Back From Elba movement

Whatever the object of its ... mission may have been it has certainly set official life worrying

Old Murder Mystery Cleared

Washington Pa April The mysterious disappearance of a well ... oil operator from Washington 24 years ago ... to have been cleared up ... here

ENOUGH ARSENIC TO KILL AN ARMY

Is Found in Cheap Mattress in the Bedroom,

IN WHICH MEMBERS OF A FAMILY DIE

Attorney Saves His Client from Electric Chair

The Innocence of Mary Kelliher Convicted by Circumstantial Evidence of the Deaths of Six Members of Her Family, After Living for Eighteen Months in the Shadow of Chair, Is Established

Boston April 5— For nights and days I have prayed to God to show my innocence to the world. I never lost hope. I believed that justice would eventually be done me but at times the long wait almost crazed me. But God worked in His own time and I am now free. And it is so much better to be out in the blessed sunshine than behind those cruel bars of iron

Blaming no one and hysterically happy in her recovered freedom Mary Kelliher who for eighteen months sat in the shadow of the electric chair as the result of a chain of circumstantial evidence which seemed *to prove* her guilty of the murder of six members of her family today voiced her thankfulness that her innocence had at last been established. She gave all of the credit for her escape from a felon's death to her attorney Hugh Bancroft who demonstrated to the satisfaction of the district attorney and the court that the woman was a victim of fate

Bancroft alone was convinced his client was innocent. He enlisted the services of a well known toxicologist and they set to work systematically to find out what caused the deaths. There was no doubt of the presence *of arsenic in all of the bodies* and to locate its source was the work of the expert and the lawyer

In One Bedroom

They eventually discovered that most of those who died had been cared for in a small dark bedroom meagerly furnished. After examining the room the expert voiced a suspicion that the cheap hair mattress was really responsible for the deaths

A portion of the hair was examined and it was found to be charged with enough arsenic to kill an army. The authorities were notified. At first they were skeptical but investigation *proved the truth of the suggestion* and yesterday tardy justice was done Mary Kelliher when her innocence was proclaimed in open court and she was discharged

No one can realize the suffering and hours of anxiety which were mine during the long weary months declared the unfortunate woman today. I knew I was innocent but outside of Mr Bancroft every one seemed to believe me a fiend in human form. I prayed and never doubted my prayer would be heard. The first night I spent in jail I shall never forget so long as I shall live. At first I could hardly understand why I was in such a horrible place. Then when it dawned on me that I was accused of killing my loved ones I thought I should go mad. But they treated me kind ly at the jail and I have no hard feelings now that I am back again in the world of sunshine

NITROGLYCERIN IS USED ON A VAULT

And Robbers Get Away with $10 000 as Booty

Lincoln, Neb April 4—The First National bank at Randolph Nebraska was exploded today and robbed of *$10 000 in gold and currency*

Marshal Crcroft was held up in the street bound and gagged and relieved of his gun by three masked men placed in a back room of the bank while the robbers wrecked the vault with nitroglycerin. The robbers escaped with their loot

POSTOFFICE SAFE IS BLOWN BY ROBBERS

Money and Stamps Taken—Thieves Steal Horse and Buggy

Columbus O April —The safe in the postoffice at Canal Winchester in Franklin county southeast of Columbus was blown by robbers ... early this morning and a small amount of money and stamps taken. ... the robbers stole a horse and buggy b...

L. K. LANGDON

Chairman of House Committee Probing Bribery Charges



... longing ... Fred Cherry a horse from William A Bader and a buggy from Sam H Saylor. The rigs were abandoned near Columbus

NIGHT RIDERS' LEADER TAKEN

After Sheriff and Posse Wait Through Night

JESSE ANDERSON CAPTURED TUESDAY

Wanted for Crimes Committed in Kentucky

His Band Murders a Twelve-Year-Old Lad and Whips the Lad's Mother and Her Other Children. Another Boy Has Disappeared from Home and It Is Feared That He May Have Been Murdered

Brownsville K April —After ... waiting all ... in a corn crib at the home of ... Anderson alleged leader of a band of Night Riders or Whitecaps that murdered twelve year old ... Carroll and whipped Mrs ... and her other children Sheriff ... Vincent and a ... today arrested Anderson

Anderson ... on information given by ... D I Carroll and ... who say ... They also say ... is killed ... the family had ... on the ground ... her and brothers ... the regulators. Instead they ... whipped his mother and sister

After the whipping ... members of the band ... boy up carried him to the ... and threw him roughly on the ... He died in a few hours. ... claims innocence and has ... attorneys

Nothing has been learned of the whereabouts of ... the son of Tradin Minton ... was shot by the Night Riders ... the boy recognized several ... the band. This became known ... the next day as he was on his way to work he passed ... an open ... while ... driving this three ... and visited his house at night ... and escaped in his night clothes to the home of a neighbor but he has not been seen since. Whether he was murdered or has fled the ... is not known

ARE RUN OVER AND INSTANTLY KILLED

Horrible Fate of Young Man and Woman at Johnstown

Johnstown ... April ... —George ... and Miss Jessie Myers ... were run over and instantly killed by the ... Duquesne limited at Myersdale in Somerset county ... fireman and ... Myers were walking along the fifty foot bluff when he slipped on the wet grass dragging the girl whom he was to have married in June to instant ... death under the wheels of the ... train. Both bodies were horribly mangled

SOCIETY GIRL OF BALTIMORE

Becomes Queen Jessie of Tribe of Gypsies.

QUICKLY TIRES OF THE SOCIAL WHIRL

And Leaves Home To Take Up Nomadic Life

Travels to Europe—Meets a Hindoo Fortune-Teller—Yearns for Outdoor Life—Marries the King of the Gypsies and Is Now with Her Wandering Band in the Vicinity of the Mound City

Baltimore Md April —Tiring of the shams of society as she assured her father in a letter Jessie Key Habersham daughter of A W Habersham a well known broker disappeared from her home here six years ago. Today her father received a letter from her telling him she was happily married but still a wanderer on the face of the earth

The letter came from St Louis and declared that the former Miss Habersham is now Mrs John Mitchell queen of a tribe of Gypsies and both happy and contented in a life bounded by the four walls and roof of a tent

Miss Habersham made her debut here six years ago and soon afterward went to visit relatives at Saratoga New York. There she met the Gypsies and became infatuated with their way of living

John Mitchell's mother was leader of the band and when the girl expressed a desire to be one one of the tribe she was accepted. Returning to her home in Baltimore she remained there a while and finally left to affiliate with those who later adopted her. Shortly afterward she eloped with and married Mitchell

Located at St Louis

St Louis Mo April —Now known as Queen Jessie the wife of King John Mitchell head of a ... Romany band now occupying a kingdom in a grove on the outskirts of St Louis Jessie Key Habersham the Baltimore society girl was found today with her gypsy husband *and his followers. Queen Jessie* is twenty four years old. She looks strangely out of place in her beaming red head dress and surrounded by the swarthy gypsies

Queen Jessie or Miss Habersham talked at length regarding her family and former connections saying she had a sister now in society in New York and that her father wanted her to marry a naval officer which she said was the ambition of all Maryland girls. After being sent to a finishing school Miss Habersham said she ran away when she was seventeen. She took a place as governess in a family and went to Europe

Coming back said Queen Jess "I met a Hindoo and through him I became interested in fortune telling. Five years ago I became acquainted with King John Mitchell. The roving Gypsy life appealed to me and four years ago we were married

Queen Jess says she often writes to her father A W Habersham in Baltimore. She gave a history of her family showing that she was related to Francis Scott Key. Roger B Taney author of the Dred Scott decision from the supreme court, was her great uncle she says

TROOPS ARE PATROLLING STREETS OF GUYAQUIL

Anti-Peruvian Feeling Becomes Serious—Reprisals Demanded

Guyaquil Ecuador April ... —Troops are patroling the streets of this city and Quito as the result of *attacks on Peruvians Sunday night* and rioting which lasted well into Monday. Property of Peruvians valued at $ ... 000 was destroyed and a number of persons were injured

While the government had dispersed the mobs and promised protection the situation is serious as the anti Peruvian feeling is intense

RAILROAD MEN OFFERED INCREASE

Cincinnati Hamilton & Dayton Men May Accept

Piqua O April —J M Scott superintendent of the Cincinnati *Hamilton & Dayton* railroad Monday offered the ... section men ... fixed ... a month for foremen and ... cents an hour overtime for me... The proposal was re[jected] by the committee ... meeting in the superintendent's office in Dayton is expected to end the strike

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS GAIN MANY MEMBERS

Show Healthy Financial Condition 648 Lodges in Ohio

Toledo O April ... William Beatty grand keeper of records and seals of the Knights of Pythias of Ohio has made public his annual report. The total membership for the year ending December 31 1909 is 81 ... as against 81 ... for 1908 ... an increase of ... At the end of 1909 there were 648 lodges in the state a loss of two over 1908

The financial condition of the lodges shows $4 ... 41 cash on hand December 31 this

The assets of the grand and subordinate lodges are $2 48 ... 80 1...

MICHIGAN TOWNS ARE VOTING DRY

Anti-Saloon League Wins Big Victory in Elections

Detroit April ... In the number of counties carried in the local option election the Anti Saloon league scored another big victory though in the number of saloons put out of business as compared with the number they tried to kill and failed their showing its not quite so good. They abolished ... saloons and six breweries. In the counties carried by the wets are 8... saloons and nine breweries

THE DRY WAVE SWEEPING ON

More Counties in the State of Michigan

ARE UNABLE TO RESIST ITS FORCE

Elections Are Held in Thirty Six Yesterday.

Of These, Twenty Vote Dry and Sixteen Wet—282 Saloons and Six Breweries Are Outlawed—The Next Session of the General Assembly of the State Will Be Held in a Dry County.

Detroit Mich April —The Michigan state legislature will meet next year in a dry county as a result of yesterday's local option election in which twenty of the thirty six counties voting on the question voted dry. Grand Rapids and Kent county remain wet by over 7 000

We expected better, but we are happy over the outcome said State Superintendent Morrow, of the Anti Saloon league today

Yesterday's election was a victory of real temperance said President Harry Ricket of the United States Manufacturers & Merchants association

The proportion of counties carried by the drys this election was not so great as last year, when nineteen out of twenty seven voted dry. Of the eighty three counties in Michigan forty two now are dry. Thirty of *these were dry before yesterday's* election and twelve wet counties joined the dry column. Eight of the twenty carried by the drys were voting on a resubmission

282 Saloons Are Outlawed

A total of 282 saloons and six breweries are outlawed while in the counties which voted wet 8... saloons and nine breweries remain

The new counties that went dry were Antrim Arenac Cass Gladwin Ingham, including the city of Lansing Lapeer Lenawee including the city of Adrian Presque Isle Ogemaw Oscoda Otsego Shiawassee including the city of Owosso

The counties now dry that are held by the prohibition forces after resubmission are St Joe Midland Missaukee Van Buren Clinton Osceola Barry and Oceana

Oakland including the city of Pontiac and Wexford including Cadillac ... the licensed saloon after ... experience with prohibition

The wet ... eight upper peninsula counties voting. These are Dickinson Gogebic Marquette Alger Chippewa in which is the Soo, Schoolcraft Mackinac and Luce. Below the straits the wets carry Kent county including Grand Rapids with ... on saloons by 7 ... majority Oakland Wexford Leelanau Roscommon Mason St Clair in which is Port Huron, and Lake.

WAR BREWING IN FAR SOUTH

Peru and Ecuador Have Their Backs Bristling

PACIFIC COAST MAY BE INVOLVED

Boundary Lines Are the Origin of the Dispute.

For Chili and Colombia Are Already in the Muss, the Mob Spirit Is Rampant and Bloodshed Seems To Be Necessary To Satisfy Disturbed Spanish-Republican Honor—Legations Are Attacked

Washington April 7—The attacks upon the Peruvian consulate and legation at Guayaquil were followed late last night by attacks upon the Ecuadorian legation in Lima, and today it appears to be almost certain that war between Peru and Ecuador will *follow unless there is* some interference

W P Cresson charge of the American legation in Lima in despatches received at the state department today says that a mob of Peruvian students attacked the Ecuadorian legation *and consulate, removing the* shields. The president of Peru harangued the mob advising patience and patriotism. Crowds afterwards paraded the streets but were orderly

In an earlier despatch the American charge reports that upon the receipt of the news of the attacks upon the Peruvian legation and consulates in Guayaquil, the Peruvian government took a most pessimistic view of the situation called out the reserves and placed guards about the Ecuadorian legation. He says that the Peruvian government will demand reparation

Appeals To Uncle Sam.

The Peruvian consul has applied to the United States consul at Guayaquil for assistance and the state department in response to a request for instructions today cabled Consul Deitrich permission to afford temporary refuge in his discretion when *necessary to preserve innocent* human life. Deitrich in despatches received today reports that the Ecuadorian mob destroyed the flag, doors and windows of the Peruvian consulate. Crowds marched the streets shouting Vive Ecuador, Chile and Colombia. Many residences and stores of Peruvians were broken into and burned. At the time the despatches were filed late yesterday afternoon the mob was still furious and uncontrolled

The official despatches received by the Peruvian government from its representatives in Ecuador were of the most alarming character

The United States government has not as yet decided to take any action or to interfere in the situation which threatens to embroil the entire western part of South America in a general war

May Abandon Conference.

If this should occur, the Pan-American conference at Buenos Ayres next July for which the United States has made preparations, will probably be abandoned

Trouble has been brewing between Peru and Chile on one side, and Peru and Colombia on the other for a long time. The dispute with Chile arises over the ownership of the Tacna Arica region the boundary of which is still to be adjusted. A short time ago diplomatic relations between Chile and Peru were severed as the result of the expulsion of Peruvian priests. Shortly afterwards, according to reports, the Chilean government shipped a large consignment of arms *to Ecuador*. The quarrel between Peru and Ecuador arises over the boundary matter which has been submitted to the king of Spain for adjustment. Constantly increasing hostility has been displayed by both countries for several weeks and it is now believed that the crisis has been reached

Intense Indignation.

Lima Peru April —The efforts of the anti-Peruvian riots at Quito and Guayaquil has aroused intense indignation here and the populace is demanding armed reprisals. The recent troubles of Peruvians in Ecuador and Colombia has aroused the people and unless the United States intervenes and settles the trouble, war seems inevitable.

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AN EXTENSION SCHOOL IN FARMING SCIENCE

May Be Held in Marion During the Winter

STATE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION WORK

Five Days of Special Instruction in Soil Culture, Farm Crops and Kindred Topics Will Be Given Here If Marion County Farmers Make Arrangements—Proving Successful

Professor L D Ward of the department of agronomy—science of ground culture—of the Ohio State university was in Marion Monday doing a bit of preliminary promotion of an agricultural extension school in Marion county next winter in connection with the university extension work Last year the State university held thirty five of these extension schools in Ohio and they proved most gratifyingly successful Every county in which extension school was conducted asked for a repetition this year The work consists of five days of study in ground culture and farm crops with varying special features conducted by university instructors The work is done at the expense of the state except the provision of a meeting place and the expenses of the instructors while here The costs all told average about one hundred dollars and are paid preferably by a nominal admission to the school or by subscription in advance The application blanks for Marion county are in the hands of L N Un[illegible] W R Lawrence J B Conley and J H Owens They expect to make local arrangements and will schedule a school for some period between October 15 and March 1 next winter

Professor Ward tells the Star that the course contains ten lectures on soil fertility ten lectures on farm crops and ten hours study of livestock or dairying or horticulture as the school prefers Most likely Marion county will prefer livestock

There can be held at the same time for the benefit of the women a five days school in domestic science It must have separate quarters Professor Ward says these schools for women have proven a notably popular success wherever held

Dr W O Thompson president of the university recently told the Star that this extension school work had proven the more fruitful undertaking of the university forces It takes scientific instruction directly to the people who are in position to immediately apply it and the good it is accomplishing is beyond all estimate There can be little doubt about Marion county taking the fullest advantage of the opportunity afforded

Power of Wealth

The ultimate test of the real efficiency of a rich man is to be able to get his divorce without due publicity and attendant scandal except in those few cases where they rather enjoy the new sensation of notoriety a phase which is really pathological—Life

FRITZ DOES NOT LIKE TO RUN TO THE FIRES

Fire Department Boys Find He Is a ' Quitter '

HAS CLEVER TRICK OF THROWING HIMSELF

He Apparently Falls Violently but in Reality Lies Down as Gently as a Person Sitting Down in a Chair—A Change Will Be Made in Fire Department Horses

Fritz the black horse doing service at the No [illegible] fire department will probably be given a rest in the very near future It is a hard thing to say about any horse doing service in a fire department but it must be said that Fritz is a quitter At the time of the fire at the Lawrence barn on Fairground street Fritz deliberately laid down on the pavement in front of the Cull carriage shop Not long after the first call a second was sent in from the same place Fritz seemed to remember his resting place and on the second run again threw himself in front of the shop

To many people the falling of the horse appeared as an accident but by those acquainted with his disposition a different view is taken Fritz has laid down on many long runs and performs the trick with such ease and cleverness as to deceive many and at the same time escape uninjured He has a trick of crossing his front legs and going down on the pavement on his side with the ease of a man sitting down in a chair

As a result of this disposition the horse he will be replaced by his partner Hans Hans is a large bay and has been in pasture for some time He has been used in the department and has given good service and will again be given the chance to show-up his tricky partner

SKIBO CASTLE, CARNEGIE IN FRONT OF HIS NEW YORK HOME AND HOW HE PLAYS



Pittsburg April [illegible] [illegible] on the [illegible] California and [illegible] to Pittsburg [illegible] the newspaper [illegible] his New York physicians [illegible] give so much of his time to the [illegible] He has always [illegible] are the things that count in this world [illegible] Mr Carnegie is a victim of [illegible]

UNIFORM TEXT BOOKS TO BE USED IN COUNTY

That Is the Plan Which Has Been Proposed

Its Adoption It Is Held would be of Immense Benefit to Those Who Come from the Country to the Local High School

[illegible] books of one kind will [illegible] the majority of schools in Marion county [illegible] members of the various [illegible] boards [illegible] books [illegible] the [illegible] school [illegible] the children [illegible] some [illegible] matter is [illegible]

The [illegible] own high boards [illegible] of many [illegible] teachers who [illegible] school has had difficulty in [illegible] work in the High [illegible] result of having [illegible] local [illegible] for book [illegible] rural schools [illegible] been [illegible] boards who now [illegible]

It has [illegible] for the township board [illegible] school [illegible] differen[illegible] of the township [illegible] its [illegible] up work in the High School [illegible] the Patterson [illegible] plan [illegible] adopted

The [illegible]

The End Not Feared

[illegible] testified [illegible] she [illegible] looked so [illegible] rest [illegible]

Pine [illegible]

[illegible] the joint [illegible]

WIVES AND CHILDREN OF BLACK-HANDERS

Will Be Cared for by Relatives at Shelby

Photographs of the Families Is Taken Before They Leave for Shelby and It May Accompany a Petition to President Taft

The wives and children of [illegible] [illegible] Marion [illegible] Shelby [illegible] the Black Hand [illegible] local [illegible]

FORMER RESIDENT OF MARION DIES

Word Received Here of the Passing of Walter Hoover

[illegible]

Tr[illegible] to All

[illegible]

MARY JANE STRAWBRIDGE DIES SUNDAY MORNING

At the Home of Her Nephew, Clifford Fling

Breaks Her Right Hip Last December and Is Almost Recovered When She Catches a Cold Which Turns into Pneumonia

Mrs Mary Jane Strawbridge aged [illegible] of William [illegible] pneumonia [illegible] morning at [illegible] her nephew Clifford Fling [illegible] on the Hillman road [illegible] city

In [illegible] Mrs Strawbridge [illegible] when [illegible] home of Dennis Lan[illegible] She [illegible] a fracture of the right hip [illegible] rapidly developed into [illegible] Her sister Mrs Eliza [illegible] seriously ill at the Fling [illegible]

[illegible] Davis Landon [illegible] Elizabeth [illegible] church [illegible] she had [illegible]

Services [illegible] Tuesday afternoon [illegible] Rev H [illegible] M E church [illegible] followed [illegible]

THE HANGING OF A BILLION MINDS

By William T Ellis

The International Sunday School Lesson for April 10 Is "Freely Ye Have Freely Give" Matt [illegible]—10 15 10 12

[illegible] lesson It will be [illegible] zeal by the twenty million [illegible] world [illegible] the wide [illegible] the [illegible] Isles [illegible] the requisite thousand million [illegible] have [illegible] to[illegible] the [illegible] conception [illegible] involved [illegible] Jesus

The Evil of Epigram

The [illegible] vest [illegible] without [illegible] mag[illegible]nitude [illegible] knew [illegible] missionary [illegible] banquet with several [illegible] to undertake the evangelization of the world in this generation They have no conception [illegible] all of what is involved [illegible] eloquence [illegible] word picture [illegible] moved their [illegible] consequently in their [illegible] moved [illegible] word of the Laymen's movement We can do it and we will

The evil of epigrams is that they usually are not more than half true Frankly it is beyond the might and millions of the massed men of Christendom to win the world for Christ That is a spiritual enterprise chiefly dependent upon spiritual means So the great Leader's first instruction was [illegible] the Lord of the harvest The self confident church of today should boast less and think more devote less time to posing and parading over missions and more to praying A better form of the self confident motto We can do it and we will [illegible] Better [illegible] is the word of divine wisdom Not by might nor by power but by my spirit saith the Lord of hosts Only in that mood dare the church confront a world with its teeming myriads and millions which [illegible] much [illegible] than most [illegible] of us comprehends

The Compassionate Heart

The immediate cause for the sending [illegible] of the twelve as for all mission [illegible] was compassion for the crowd Only great hearts have this quality Jesus possessed it supremely The nearer men approach to godliness the more capable they become of loving the world It is Christianity that has tinted world maps and made the pioneer peoples only heathen become hermit nations Love for mankind in the mass expressed by the service of the individual is a distinctively Christian trait Only Christianity preaches a world gospel

The record says that when Jesus saw the multitudes He was moved with compassion for them because they were distressed and scattered as sheep not having a shepherd An old manuscript says Dr James [illegible] renders the passage He saw them as sheep with the fleece torn off bleeding and unable to rise up This eye for the needs of mankind this tender shepherd heart is one of the marks of the Lord Jesus It should characterize all who minister in His name There have been notable illustrations of it in certain pastors of down town churches They have seen their old parishioners moving away and an alien population coming in but they have been stampeded into seeking better posts for themselves Instead their compassion for the multitude has only burned the brighter In all kinds of people they have discerned [illegible] sheep whom the Good Shepherd loves

A Man's Great Work

When a man is appointed town postmaster or gets another government position or is promoted in business his friends throng him with congratulations When a man or woman goes forth as a missionary it is in some place the usage for the family to expect condolences The greatest honor is to be called to the greatest service and supreme service is spiritual They help mankind best who help it to be one its noblest There was held in Bridgeport Connecticut a few days ago the celebration of the ninetieth birthday anniversary of Fanny Crosby who is only a homely little blind woman of unpretentious domestic ways but who has written hundreds of songs that have [illegible] the hearts of millions of Christians all around the world Her touch has been felt by thousands who never heard of Mr Rockefeller Mr Carnegie Mr Roosevelt or Mr Taft

The twelve men whom Jesus appointed as His representatives to carry the good news were all but one commonplace Galileans and that one from orthodox Judea was a traitor Join Now because they linked their lives to the spiritual mission of [illegible] the immortal names honored by hundreds of millions [illegible] them

Simon Peter,
Andrew
James,
John
Philip
Bartholomew,
Thomas
Matthew
James the son of Alpheus
Thaddeus
Simon the zealot
Judas Iscariot

[illegible] ever these crude men mostly [illegible] typify the greatness which [illegible] identification with [illegible] They undertook to exalt the new and to the [illegible] [illegible] them [illegible] warrant for the belief that [illegible] new devotion for the cause of missions on the part of the [illegible] today is going to lift these [illegible] into a loftier [illegible] nobler [illegible] the [illegible] and sordid [illegible] and self centeredness of the old [illegible] ment in business

Business of Gospeling

All of late has become more complex and the twelve went forth with out purse or [illegible] Missions is now an intricate business and a special science It is also a recognized profession While this [illegible] a degree necessary there is always the peril of too much machinery and too many [illegible] While [illegible] missionaries have erred on the side of living too meanly [illegible] the natives others have erred in building too big homes for themselves and too expensive equipment for their work The idea that the missionary must impress the native by his state wealth and power [illegible] fallacious

The business [illegible] heard too much in modern missionary meetings Money is overstressed and made too often the measure of success This is [illegible] not a business task primarily The peril of professional and perfunctory boards is always besetting The churches should be resolute in dealing summarily with any mission or board society into which nepotism or ecclesiastical politics has put clerkly minded creatures intent chiefly on their own reputation dignity and authority The professional promoter of missions is always susceptible to the danger of forgetting the field in its verity and of being influenced by considerations less impersonal and altruistic

A great missionary [illegible] aflame with that loving compassion for human beings which differentiated his Master from all other teachers is of more value than a merely mechanical institution Mission schools are necessary mission hospitals are necessary and mission presses are necessary—but before all these and above them all stands the man or woman aflame with desire to tell the story A young Philadelphian of good family is living and laboring up in the northwest provinces of India as a religious teacher—a sort of mendicant friar—and his poverty humility and self forgetting helpfulness win an entrance for the message into the hearts of the natives who have given no hearing to the more conventional forms of missions The nearer the work is kept to the apostolic method the greater its success For after all and after all it is not by the cunning of the twentieth century devices that the world is to be won to Christ but by what Paul called the foolishness of preaching

Appertaining to the Knocker

Sometimes de knocker is mo' foolish dan malicious said Uncle Eben "He's liable to be sacrificin friendship an' respect foh de sake of intertainin a mighty ongrateful audience "

Uncle Ezra Says

The bald headed man hez this satisfaction His friends don't remind him uv it evry time he's hed a hair cut

DITCH NOTICE

Auditor's Office Marion County O
Marion March 19th A D 1910
In the matter of the County Ditch Improvement petitioned for by Fred Fürstenberger and others Notice to non resident lot or land owners

You Clementine Blue Melvin A Campbell W H Curry Curtis B Fox Manuel Green Jacob A Hens [illegible] Fred P Hills Margaret A Howison Callie Leffler Margaret McChesney Royal P Martin Isabella Myers Co [illegible] W Miller Eliza [illegible] McClinton [illegible] P [illegible] Laura and Frank [illegible] Lind M and M Kupprecht Adam Shaffer John H Harruth [illegible] Sult Effie [illegible] Snyder Geo S Sims [illegible] Mary P Shute [illegible] W [illegible] John D Van Denman Daniel R Welter [illegible] Mary H Warner guardian [illegible] Austin Hen[illegible] [illegible] Kutter [illegible] Mary Mich[illegible] Margaret R Arnold Hens Jim [illegible] Hens [illegible] Betty Hen[illegible] W [illegible] Elizabeth Hemph[illegible] and each of you are hereby notified that [illegible] Fürstenberger and others filed a petition with the Auditor of Marion County the prayer of which is for the deepening widening and straightening of QuQua County Ditch on the following starting point route and terminus to wit Beginning at the intersection of the QuQua ditch with Mt Vernon avenue in the east half of the northwest quarter of section [illegible] town[illegible] south range [illegible] east Marion Township Marion County Ohio thence following the route of said QuQua ditch through and across section [illegible] and [illegible] in Marion township Marion County Ohio thence through and across Sections [illegible] and the north half of section [illegible] in Pleasant township Marion County Ohio thence through and across the south half of section [illegible] and sections [illegible] in Waldo Township Marion County Ohio to the Whetstone river or far enough to give a good and sufficient outlet

You are also notified that the following time and place have been fixed when and where the Commissioners of said county will meet for the hearing of said petition to wit Monday April 18th 1910 at 10 o'clock a m at the head of proposed improvement for the purpose of hearing any and all proof offered by any of the parties affected by said improvement whether the said improvement will be conducive to the public health convenience and welfare and whether the route described is the best route and any and all objections to said proposed ditch improvement

C [illegible] ALLEN
Auditor of Marion County Ohio
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SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS

The School Examiners of Marion county Ohio will meet for the examination of teachers at the Central school building, Saturday,

May 7th
June 4th

Examinations commence at 8 30 a m and no application will be received after 10 a m All examinations will be written and positively no private examinations will be granted A fee of [illegible] cents will be charged on admission to the examination and each applicant will furnish an envelope, stamped and addressed to him or herself in which a certificate or notice of failure will be forwarded Applicants will be graded on a scale of 100 No certificate will be granted when the grade in any branch falls below 70 An average of [illegible] with a minimum of [illegible] secures a certificate for one year [illegible] with a minimum of 80 and twelve months experience secures a certificate for two years 90 with a minimum of 85 and twenty-four months experience secures a certificate for three years 95 with a minimum of 90 and thirty six months experience secures a certificate for 5 years An average of 98 with a minimum of 95 and sixty months experience secures a certificate for 8 years

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LEGAL NOTICE

In the Court of Common Pleas of Marion County Ohio

Ned E Thatcher Plaintiff vs Francis E Crosby et al Defendants Cause No 1,6[illegible]

Lillian Thatcher who is supposed to reside at Oregon City in the State of Oregon and Ed E Thatcher, whose place of residence is unknown will take notice that on the 24th day of March A D 1910 the plaintiff, Ned E Thatcher filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Marion County Ohio his petition in the above entitled cause, to contest the alleged last will and testament of John W Thatcher deceased and praying that an issue shall be made up whether the purported writing propounded is the last will of the testator or not and that said propounded will and the probate thereof be set aside and for such other and further relief as is authorized by the statutes in such cases made and provided Said defendants are required to answer on or before May 21 [illegible] 1910

NED E THATCHER Plaintiff
Crissinger Guthery and Copeland & Bartram attorneys for plaintiff
15 wk f- 6

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Southbound—Cars leave every hour for Columbus from 6 a m to [illegible] p m , and 10 and 11 p m for Delaware
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MARCH BREAKS ALL PREVIOUS RECORDS

Official Weather Observer Talks of the Month

THREE LITTLE RAINS COME DURING MONTH

March Is Noted for Its Variety of Weather Conditions but Month Just Ended Brings Weather Such as Is Usually Experienced in the Months of April and May

Dr. J. H. Raftensperger, Marion's local weather observer, says that March broke all records. It came in like a lamb and contrary to tradition went out like a lamb. March, April and May intermixed. At [illegible] contained no typical March [illegible] with the possible exception [illegible] day of March winds. But [illegible] was for only one day and from [illegible] to the 15 of the month the [illegible] of the mercury was to go upward.

[illegible] Raftensperger says [illegible] little rains came during the month and one day old Boreas stuck his nose over the line and spit a few [illegible] now but very few people [illegible] noticed it.

[illegible] he pis decide March has [illegible] noted for its variety of weather [illegible] condition. However the weather [illegible] month is believed never has been excelled in this climate [illegible].

[illegible] the budding and the birds [illegible] nature appears to be awakening from winter's lethargy [illegible] the beauty of life—and [illegible] begin in March. April showers are no necessity to bring on the May flower for they have been nodding their heads in fragrance out [illegible] for some time—those that were placed in the gardens by the housewife who had tenderly cared [illegible].

WILLIAM H HANSON DIES IN COLUMBUS

Death Is Result of Injuries Suffered Recently

William H. Hanson of Delaware [illegible] for the Columbus, Delaware & Marion Railway company died suddenly at the Protestant hospital in Columbus Friday morning as result of injuries received when he was struck by a car in the [illegible] March 20. Inflammation of the base of the brain following concussion caused his death. He was seventy-eight years old and is survived by his widow and a daughter aged six years.

Funeral services will be held at the home of the mother of the deceased in Magnetic Springs Saturday afternoon.

GRANT GARRETT IS VICTIM OF ACCIDENT

Is Injured While Cranking His Automobile

Grant Garrett, a cripple living on Fountain street, was badly injured while cranking an automobile Friday morning.

Garrett who works for the Ohio & Western Lime company was struck on the left arm in such a manner that the member was badly bruised and lacerated and the bone of the hand were fractured.

Mr. Garrett was the unfortunate victim of a deplorable accident several years ago having both legs cut off.

To Enter Fruit Business

Mr. and Mrs. Charles [illegible] [illegible] famous Peace [illegible] Montana where they will establish their new home. Mr. Phelps has purchased a tract of orchard land and will be [illegible] of Ohio [illegible] who are looking up locations in the great fruit belt.

MATTER CARRIED TO THE CIRCUIT COURT

The Suit of Pinneo Against a Marion Bank

A petition in error in the suit of Mary I. Pinneo against the Marion National bank, the Implement Manufacturing company and others was filed by the plaintiff in the circuit court [illegible] through Attorneys Mack & Sons of Canton. She sets up that in the September term of the common pleas court the Marion National bank recovered a judgment against her in a pending action wherein she was one of the defendants and the bank was the plaintiff. She avers that the court erred in assessing the stockholders of the Implement company in an aggregate sum of exceeding the amount of indebtedness found to be assessable upon the stockholders and charges other errors on the face of the record.

The plaintiff in error asks that the judgment of the common pleas court be reversed and that she be restored to all things lost by reason of the judgment rendered.

THE ELECTION BOARD TRANSACTS BUSINESS

Miles Longshore Receives Books of Board

Martin [illegible] Parke, [illegible] Myers and William C. [illegible] of this city and Frank C. Poppleton of Prospect, members of the Marion county board of elections, held a meeting in the board's quarters in the Marion National bank building Thursday evening. The preliminary work with regard to the May primaries was discussed. [illegible]

[illegible] hardly know just what to do [illegible] busy [illegible] things.

However, a contract for pollbooks and other supplies amounting to about $60 was awarded to a Dayton firm and some other minor matters given attention. Clerk S. H. D. Long turned over his books to Miles Longshore who has been elected to serve as clerk until August 1.

THE CONVENTION TO BE HELD AT LIMA IN JULY

Democratic Judiciary Committee at Lima, Friday

SIXTEEN COUNTIES ARE REPRESENTED

Delegates to the Judiciary Circuit Convention Will Be Selected Under the Primary Election Law, or at a County Convention of Delegates Chosen at Primaries

Judge William F. Scofield of this city because of court matters at Bucyrus was represented by proxy at a meeting of the Democratic judiciary committee for the Third circuit court district held at Lima Friday. The date of the judiciary circuit convention was set for July 20 and Lima was chosen as the place of meeting. The committee selected W. H. Kinder as temporary chairman, W. J. Copeland secretary and Lawrence Schunk sergeant at arms.

It was decided that delegates should be selected under the primary election law or at a county convention of delegates chosen at the primaries May [illegible] The manner of selection to be determined by the judicial committee thirty days before the convention.

The following committeemen represent the sixteen counties in the circuit:

William F. Scofield, Marion; J. J. Weadock, Allen; J. H. Cooke, Auglaize; H. F. Shuler, Crawford; J. L. Patterson, Defiance; Charles [illegible], Hardin; Hancock, W. W. Durbin; [illegible], J. M. Fieger; Henry, W. R. Niven; Logan, W. H. Miller; Mercer, P. W. Stumm; Paulding, J. H. Sturman; Putnam, J. C. Peyer; Seneca, H. J. Conn; Van Wert, Homer Southard; Union, H. H. Newell; Wyandot.

The only Democratic candidates who have shied their castors into the ring for circuit judge are Benjamin Meek, Crawford county; Philip Crowe, Hardin county; John S. Snook, Paulding county and William King, Allen county.

Homer [illegible] Johnson has been elected Democratic committeeman for Marion county for the Tenth common pleas circuit. Mr. Johnson succeeds Alfred A. Gottschall of Toledo, formerly of this city.

YOUNG PEOPLE WILL RESIDE ON FARM

Miss Mary Foos and Mr. Harry Stephenson

Miss Mary Foos of this city was united in marriage at [illegible] Michigan Sunday, March 27, to Mr. Harry Stephenson of that place. The ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dowe Stephenson.

The young people will live on a farm near [illegible].

DON'T GO HOME WITHOUT A STAR

Whenever you are in Marion on Saturday afternoon don't go home without a Daily Star. [illegible] pages of interesting reading matter with comic supplement in colors enough to last all day Sunday. Two cents per copy of newsboys or at the Star office. [illegible]

LAST POSTAL YEAR SHOWS BIG INCREASE

An Increase of $5,100 in Receipts of Year

POSTMASTER WILL GET $3100 A YEAR

The Total Receipts for the Past Year Amount to $47,400, an Increase of $18,000 in the Past Six Years—Office Expected to Reach $50,000 Mark in Next Year

Thursday marked the close of the postal year so far as the [illegible] of post offices and salaries of postmasters are concerned and Marion still remains in the class with an increase of $100 over the preceding year. Incidentally [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] $2,000 [illegible] ments of [illegible] business.

There is no pattern [illegible] count for the increase [illegible] postmaster today [illegible] sale of postage stamps or [illegible] It has been a gradual increase that shows the steady growth of Marion [illegible] year just beginning the receipts will reach $50,000 or more.

The handsome new Federal building at Church and State streets will it is expected be ready for occupancy by August 1.

When we move I am going to ask the [illegible] to give me a telephone [illegible] with a smile. He then explained that in order to receive a free telephone at a postoffice the receipts must be $50,000.

The rental of the telephone now used in the postoffice is paid out of the pocket of the postmaster and the instrument principally is for the accommodation of the public.

The cost of the furniture and fixtures will not come out of the building appropriation. That will be separate and will run $[illegible],000 or more. Postmaster Dickerson selected the furniture and fixtures himself from the government's variety of plans for furnishings.

DR G H MASTERS WILL BE CANDIDATE

For the Republican Nomination for County Coroner

Dr. G. H. Masters of Prospect will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for coroner. The necessary petitions for a place on the primary ticket are already in the hand of the doctor's friends and these [illegible] signed will soon be on file. Dr. Masters tells the Star he



DR. G. H. MASTERS
Candidate for Coroner, Subject to the Decision of the Republican Convention

will [illegible] an active [illegible] nominated [illegible] for election [illegible] already received much encouragement.

Dr. Masters [illegible] physician in Prospect for thirty three years and has a very wide acquaintance in addition to his strength professionally and his high standing as a citizen [illegible] [illegible] point of view.

[illegible] Single option [illegible]

[illegible] large flat [illegible]

MRS W M HAYNES DIES SATURDAY

Friends Are Shocked by Message Announcing Death

Friends of Mrs. Elizabeth Haynes in this city were [illegible] received announcing her death at Portland. Mrs. Haynes was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. [illegible] Central avenue and a sister [illegible] Schrote of west [illegible] She was born and [illegible] this city but since her marriage [illegible] W. M. Haynes who is [illegible] of the Portland Automobile [illegible] and a prominent banker [illegible] in that city where she died.

The death of Mrs. Haynes came after a very short illness of [illegible] duration.

The funeral services were held at Portland at [illegible] o'clock [illegible].

JOINED IN MARRIAGE AT THE PARSONAGE

Miss Knoppenberger and Mr. John R. Reedy

[illegible] Camp, April [illegible] Mr. John R. Reedy and Miss [illegible] Knoppenberger, both of [illegible] were united in marriage [illegible] evening at [illegible] the [illegible] of the M. E. church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. C. [illegible]. The young [illegible] and [illegible] Both [illegible] quite well known throughout [illegible] southern part of the county. They will make their home on a farm near Waldo.

ENTERTAINED AT DINNER SUNDAY

Is a Company of Guests at the Carl McKelvy Home

Mr. and Mrs. Carl McKelvy [illegible] entertained at dinner Sunday [illegible] Meeker in honor [illegible] and Mr. W. [illegible] [illegible]

JOHN H. CLARK WILL RACE FOR PROSECUTOR

Will Seek Nomination at Coming Primaries

Mr. Clark Serves One Term as County Prosecutor and Is Defeated by a Small Margin in Race for Second Term—His Career

Ex-Prosecuting Attorney John H. Clark is a candidate in the Republican primaries to be held in May for his party's renomination for prosecutor. He was defeated for a second term by a small majority by Prosecuting Attorney Chal. [illegible] Justice.

Mr. Clark's administration of the important office of prosecutor was marked by unflinching courage his friends urge. He was fearless in the performance of his [illegible] and favored neither friend nor foe. His friends knew always where [illegible] found him because he was absolutely impartial. [illegible] will make [illegible] nominated his hundreds of friends throughout the city and county predict.

Mr. Clark is a Marion county product, having been born in Bowling Green township [illegible] 1872, the son of Nathan and [illegible] Johnson Clark. He secured a good common school education and [illegible] the Ohio Northern University at Ada where he was graduated in the law department June 1894 [illegible] post-graduate course. Since his admission to the bar he has carried [illegible] successful practice in Marion [illegible] was elected prosecutor on the [illegible] ticket by a majority of [illegible] votes. Fraternally Mr. Clark [illegible] prominently identified with [illegible] Lodge No. 402 Knights of [illegible] and Marion Lodge No. 2 [illegible] Elks.

A CONGREGATIONAL MEETING IS HELD

Presbyterian People Gather at the First Church

OFFICERS SELECTED FOR ENSUING YEAR

Reports Are Received as to the Various Departments of the Church Work and Conditions Are Found the Best in History—Other Business Given Attention

The annual congregational meeting of the First Presbyterian church held in the church auditorium Thursday evening was largely attended. Officers were elected for the ensuing year and a number of interesting reports showing the church to be in a most flourishing condition were read.

W. T. Warner and Frank S. Keller were reelected trustees, and W. C. Futcher, J. P. Conley, C. H. Wright and W. C. Torrence were the congregation's unanimous choice for elders. Other officers elected were Harry Mealey, secretary, and Henry [illegible] treasurer.

The reading of the various reports including the missionary [illegible] and Christian Endeavor society and the Sunday school elicited [illegible] because they all combined to show that last year was a period of most gratifying progress, the best year the church has yet had in every way. The Sunday school enrollment is the largest [illegible] contributions better and [illegible] work in general more successful than for any previous year in the history of the church.

Rev. C. M. Rourke the pastor was highly praised by the congregation on account of his untiring and zealous efforts in making the year the banner one and the heads of the various departments were complimented [illegible] of their co-operation with the pastor in every avenue of Christian work.

MARION HIGH SCHOOL ON ACCREDITED LIST

Graduates Eligible to a Number of Colleges

At the annual meeting of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools at Chicago March [illegible] and [illegible] the Marion High school was again placed on the accredited list [illegible] term of one year. Word to this [illegible] Superintendent H. [illegible] last week in a statement sent out by George R. [illegible] state High school visitor.

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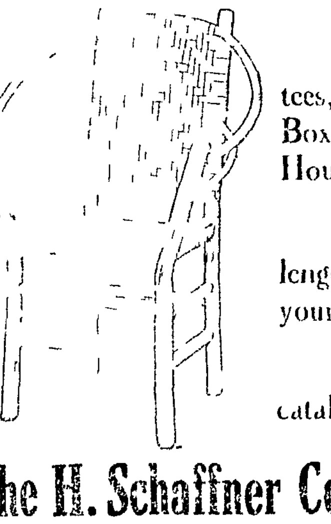
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SURPRISE IS GIVEN GEORGE A. STIFFLER

At the Scheilling Home on Cherry Street Sunday

A MERRY COMPANY SATURDAY NIGHT

Thirty Friends Surprise Bert E. Bumgarner at His Home on Windsor Street—Miss Pearl Hartzell Surprised by Girl Friend—A Birthday Anniversary Celebrated

Mr and Mrs H C Scheilling at their home on Cherry street Sunday gave Mrs Scheilling's father George A Stiffler of Pearl street the first surprise he has ever been given. The occasion was honoring his fifty ninth birthday anniversary.

Mr and Mrs Scheilling had the brothers and sisters and a number of her friends and relatives of Mr Stiffler gather at their home during the morning hours and then sent for Mr and Mrs Stiffler to come over to dinner. The honor guest was very much surprised when he arrived at his daughter's home and found the assembled company. Later *the entire company received a surprise* when Mr and Mrs P G Stiffler of Altoona Pennsylvania came *down stairs no one knowing* they were to be present except the host and hostess.

After Mr Stiffler had been presented a number of beautiful and useful gifts a sumptuous dinner was served in three courses the tables being prettily decorated with tulips. The afternoon was pleasantly passed.

Those present were Mr and Mrs P G Stiffler of Altoona Pennsylvania Mr and Mrs C Allnendinger Mr and Mrs C Stiffler Mr and Mrs Alphus Stiffler Mr and Mrs A Huffman Misses Margaret and Abbie Stiffler of Prospect Mr and Mrs C A Stiffler Mr and Mrs R T Thomas Mrs Shirley Schneemilch and Mr Fred Scheilling.

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When Mr Bert E Bumgarner of [illegible] *arrived home from* [illegible] Saturday evening he found [illegible] invaded by about thirty of [illegible] who had gathered to remind him of his thirty fifth birthday anniversary. He was later presented a number of handsome gifts.

A splendid five o'clock dinner was served by Mrs Bumgarner covers being arranged for twenty one.

After dinner the hours were spent socially and several selections were rendered on the piano by Mrs Blanch Bumgarner and Mr Harold Ward.

Those present from a distance were Mr and Mrs Samuel F Bumgarner and daughters of Richwood and Mrs Etta Smith of Mason county West Virginia.

* * *

A number of the girl friends of Miss Pearl Hartzell gave her a pleasant surprise at the home of her parents Mr and Mrs W P Hartzell of east Church street Saturday afternoon in celebration of the twelfth anniversary of her birth.

Various out door games were played and a jolly time enjoyed by the young folks. Toward evening a fine spread was prepared from the baskets brought by the girls.

Those in the party were Misses Mary Mason Hester Lusch Marguerite Smith Nellie Butler Perthree Hobson Helen King Juanita Abel Stella Keeler Adella Fisher Debestill Hutchinson and Isabel Frank.

* * *

Mr Frank M Beverly of south Main street was taken completely by surprise Monday evening when he returned to his home from the store about 8:30 o'clock. As he stepped into the house a company of his friends met him and showered him with good wishes reminding him that the day was the thirty sixth anniversary of his birth. He was presented a number of handsome gifts.

After a season of various games an elegant dinner of three courses was served at small tables arranged throughout the parlors. The rooms were prettily decorated with bouquets of [illegible].

After dinner a penny contest afforded much pleasure. Mrs J H D Wintermute received the first prize a picture done in water colors. The consolation token went to Mrs John Daily and Mr Charles W Maxwell.

Those in the company were Mrs F D Stewart of Columbus Mr and Mrs John Schneider Mr and Mrs R W Brunskill Mr and Mr Frank Schneider Mr and Mrs Louis Cull Mr and Mrs [illegible] Mr and Mrs Ollie Schneider Mr and Mrs John Daily Mr and Mrs John D Wintermute Mr and Mrs Carl Rye Mr and Mrs Charles W Maxwell, Mr and Mrs George Lies and Mr and Mrs John P Gander.

* * *

Mrs Martha Keller entertained the members of the Woman's club at [illegible] Monday afternoon at her home on east Center street.

After greeting the hostess guest Mrs H Chisholm of Cleveland the women listened to a selection of original spring poetry by Mrs W H Bone and a humorous paper read by Mrs Martha Keller.

The remainder of the time was given informally to visiting and an elaborate tea was served by the hostess.

This meeting closing the official year of the club the calendars for the coming season were distributed and the club adjourned to meet again *next October*.

* * *

The Elite club met at the home of Miss Zella Mann of Mt Vernon avenue Monday evening. The young women spent the early part of the evening in embroidery work. After a luncheon at which covers were laid for twelve a spelling contest was held in which Miss Marie Meredith won the honors and was presented a picture.

The guests of the club were Mrs F S Altman Mrs F R Mann and Miss Mayme Weaver.

The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Miss Edna Rodgers of Windsor street.

* * *

Miss Lucretia Garberson graciously entertained a jolly party of young people at a Five Hundred party at her home on south State street Monday evening.

Three tables were arranged for the players and a series of interesting games had. During the latter part of the evening the hostess served a splendid luncheon at the card tables.

Miss Garberson's guests were Miss [illegible] Miss Beulah Spencer Miss Helen Houghton Miss Louise Burgess Miss Mary Lee Conckin Miss Ruth Smith Miss Meta Bush Miss Frances Five Miss Ruth McKinniss Miss Freda Rhodes Mr Frank Foster Mr Percy Spencer Mr Benjamin Cillis Mr Donald Fell Mr Wilfred Schaffner Mr Wilfred Davis Mr Clair Davis Mr Robert Dombush Mr Harry Copeland Mr Louis Morral and Mr Thomas McMurray.

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The Advance club held a special meeting at the home of Miss Clara Kowalke of south Prospect street Monday evening and carried out a fine program of excellent numbers. The attendance was very good.

For roll call quotations were given on Spring. Mrs [illegible] Brown opened the program with a paper on Portrait Painters—Copley Trumbell and Stuart followed by a paper on Queen Victoria by Mrs D K Guthery. Mrs F F Wallace sang a solo and Mrs G F Mouser read a paper on Maud Ballington Booth and Prison Reforms. Mrs H D Luker's paper Jane Addams and Hull House and a reading An Invisible Institution by Mrs P F Schaeffer closed the program.

The women remained for a short social session during which a nice luncheon was served.

Miss Olive Merrifield of *Ypsilanti* Michigan was the only guest of the club.

Next Monday afternoon Mrs [illegible] will entertain at her home at the corner of Windsor and Columbia streets.

* * *

The N O P girls drove to Prospect Monday and were entertained by six young ladies of that place. At noon they enjoyed a picnic dinner and in the afternoon visited the Prospect High school.

The merry party returned home about [illegible] o'clock in the evening after a [illegible] having had an enjoyable day. After arriving in this city they accepted the invitation of Miss [illegible] Frank to a slumber party and returned to her home on south State street where they spent the night. All were up bright and early next morning and went to [illegible] which can now be seen before sun.

Those in the party were [illegible] Susan Corbe [illegible] Mrs Ruth [illegible] Miss Dorothy Hunt Miss Helen Hunt Miss Dorothy [illegible] Miss Mildred Lippincott Miss Helen [illegible] Miss Elizabeth Britton Miss Maud [illegible] McMurray Miss Cuba Gander Miss Corrine Myers and Mr [illegible] Miss Corbin was the only [illegible] of the club.

The club will meet [illegible] Friday evening.

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Mrs John Stengel entertained a *number of friends* at her home on Silver street Sunday afternoon, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. The time was spent socially with various forms of amusement in the evening a supper was served.

Those present were Mr and Mrs Peter Keil Mr and Mrs William Albright Mr and Mrs [illegible] Wintringham Mr and Mrs Cloyd Nickerson Mrs [illegible] Stengel Mrs Alice Lusch John Lusch [illegible] Georgetta Wintringham Evelyn and Perthia Albright Helen Arwild and John *Frederick* Stengel Kenneth Nickerson Mrs John Flemmon Miss Audrey Flemmons and Winifred Brooks.

* * *

Mrs Hannah Mounts entertained at dinner Sunday at her home on north Prospect street for Mrs [illegible] Mount and Mrs Josephine Welch of Delaware. The affair was especially given for Mrs Mount it being her eighteenth birthday anniversary.

The day was very pleasantly spent and the dinner was a sumptuous one.

Those present were the home guests Mrs Mounts and Mrs Welch of Delaware Mr and Mrs [illegible] Mrs P H Little and son Philip Mrs Minnie Little Miss Leona Hammond Miss Ruth Uncapher Mr Grace Uncapher Miss Ida Mount Mr Frank Uncapher Mr Walter Stanh Mr Joseph Mounts Mr Clifford Glasmeyer Mr Georg Schuckardtz and Mr Leopold Felchlin.

AN AWFUL STENCH FROM THE SLAUGHTER-HOUSES

Causes Complaint by Many Residents of the City

ACTION TAKEN BY BOARD OF HEALTH

Secretary Probst of the State Board Is Notified of Local Conditions and It Is Anticipated that the State Authorities Will Look into the Matter at Early Date

Some broad and startling accusations were made at the meeting of the board of health Monday evening when the old slaughter house nuisance was brought to the attention of the board. This proposition of dispensing with this nuisance was brought up nearly two years ago and handed over from the city board to the township board for the reason that the slaughter houses were out of *the corporation*. The latter board in turn took the matter up with the state board and an employe was sent from Columbus to make an investigation. A report of this investigation with recommendations of how to abate the nuisance was sent to the township board under date of July 27 1908 but since that time the matter has remained dormant.

When the board was called to order there were several residents of the vicinity of the slaughter houses in the lobby who attended to [illegible] calling the attention of the board to the nuisance. [illegible] recommendations from the state board was in the hands of the health officer and this was read by the clerk. It was stated that one death had occurred in that vicinity [illegible] the butchering places they being [illegible] slaughter houses in close proximity south of the Marion Brewing & Bottling company.

Dangerous Drain

Fred Fatzler stated that the drain which carried much of the filth from the four places passed through his yard and that the drain was constructed much on the order of a storm water drain. In summer the smell comes through the ground and worms lay on the ground above the drain. He said that owing to the disagreeable odor he was compelled to move a sick member of his family *from the house*.

Dennis Breen stated that he did not believe the drain was constructed for the purpose for which it is now used and that he believed it was [illegible] the law for it to empty this refuse into an open ditch which eventually finds its way to the Scioto river. He stated that the smell at times could hardly be endured and that people were compelled to keep the doors of their houses closed even on the hottest days. [illegible] the board members how they acquainted with the conditions.

Mayor Sauter said that he was surprised that this matter had not been taken up and pushed by [illegible] *He believed that there* was a law to do away with such were and furthermore did not believe the [illegible] conditions relative to the statement of Fred Fatzler that the township board had been bought off from action in the matter. The mayor said that if there were any such people telling city council or township [illegible] they should be expelled [illegible].

Hits the Meat

A Mr Smith was also present to add to the complaint. He stated that it is apparent that the conditions of the places which is to make it apparent that the meat slaughtered is not fit to eat.

After the various members had expressed views on the subject the [illegible] the city [illegible] The drain in the [illegible] connected [illegible] believed the [illegible] board could [illegible] within the corporation [illegible] to [illegible] Fred Fatzler [illegible]

[illegible] solution to the problem Dr D [illegible] president pro tem [illegible] that much is the matter [illegible] one [illegible] in the hands of the township board and in that [illegible] done he said that it is something that Columbus is interested in for the [illegible] from the [illegible] eventually got the waste from the places. In view of this [illegible] the city board [illegible] the matter up with the [illegible] Dr C O [illegible] the health officer [illegible] condition [illegible]

Argument Gets On

The department heads [illegible] meat business. Mayor [illegible] stated that [illegible] was handled by [illegible] and that it [illegible]

[illegible] meat [illegible] and Mayor Sauter [illegible] of [illegible] and but hers drivers to [illegible] with their meat [illegible] covered and in open [illegible] when the dust is blowing [illegible] to be stopped and if the [illegible] does not take action on the [illegible] *to learn the* [illegible]

Along this clean up [illegible] the mayor stated that there was a number of things he should bring to the attention of the board [illegible] as the time is approaching [illegible] the practice of fruit dealers [illegible] and dried fruits to stand [illegible] mayor said which the mayor said should be stopped and if necessary [illegible] order will be [illegible] Another thing was the allowing [illegible] dried fruits to stand [illegible] in stores over night [illegible] stated that he frequently went into a grocery early in the morning and from meal tracks [illegible] floor [illegible] that mice had been in the meal during the night. He said that a plan should [illegible] to have these [illegible] there was no doubt [illegible] this kind gathered [illegible] the conclusion of [illegible] ment for the health [illegible] people. Member Lippincott [illegible] from the meeting [illegible] the impression that [illegible] was hardly safe to breathe the air in Marion. He believed that [illegible] *ed to one matter* [illegible] would be busy enough.

Sad Disappointment

Health Officer Fo[illegible] met with a sad disappointment at the start of his campaign to clean up the city. He read a communication from the superintendent of the garbage disposal plant which ordered him not to send so much night soil to the plant as it cannot be handled. The superintendent [illegible] stated that the plant has been overtaxed. As a solution of the problem [illegible] recommended to the board that a burying ground be purchased by the city and that in the course of several years the saving in the [illegible] bill at the plant would pay for the ground. According to his figures it is costing $1,000 a year to dispose of the night soil at the plant.

Mayor Sauter stated that this was something he intended bringing up at the meeting [illegible] had not been done so by the health officer. He [illegible] the purchase of a tract of from ten to twenty acres situated so as to comply with the law. *By building* a residence on this he believed that a tenant could be secured to take care of the place for the use of the land. As it now cost the hauler [illegible] night soil to dispose of their [illegible] at the plant [illegible] should be made to dig their own trenches to bury it.

Another Discussion

This was the opinion of Member Weeks and after a general discussion Member [illegible] offered a motion that the clerk correspond with the state health officer and other municipalities for views on the matter and that a committee of three be appointed to meet the council and put the proposition of buying ground before that body. The motion carried and [illegible] President Pro Tem W [illegible] appointed Members Lippincott [illegible] and Marker to act on this committee.

The health officer reported that he was in receipt of a communication from the township trustees to the effect that he [illegible] would pay for the [illegible] Noonan [illegible] This brought [illegible] complaint that [illegible] bill had not been paid for [illegible] *care of* the family and that this was [illegible] of the trustees of the infirmary [illegible] of Morrow county [illegible] was known whether the bill had been rejected or overlooked but the [illegible] authorized to [illegible] the attention [illegible] the Morrow county [illegible] bill.

Health Officer [illegible] submitted his report for the month of March [illegible] the contagious [illegible] in the city [illegible] as follows [illegible] two measles thirty [illegible] one diphtheria [illegible] one

Bills amounting to $650 were allowed and several matters of minor importance were discussed [illegible] the board adjourned.

THE ASSESSORS ARE SOON TO GET BUSY

[illegible]

FORMER MARIONITE GETS INTO TROUBLE

Is Arrested for Manslaughter for Throwing Man Off Train

A special to the Columbus [illegible] states that John W M[illegible] was arrested in Indianapolis on a charge of manslaughter and is to be [illegible] to [illegible] Fourth

[illegible] Kentucky from the blind end [illegible] and later paid a fine of $[illegible] Marion [illegible]

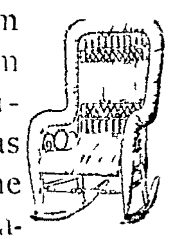
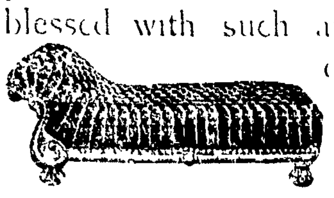
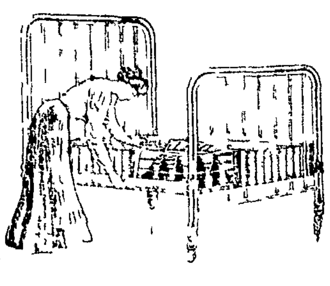
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Ruffled swiss curtains per pair	25c up
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Brass sash rods each	5c
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Cor Main and Church Sts

Union Poultry Fence	Poultry Netting	Sherwin-Williams Floorlac
[illegible]	[illegible]	The durable varnish stain for floors
Royal Poultry Fence	Garden Tools	Muresco
A very heavy [illegible]	It is nearly time to make garden [illegible] tools of the best quality of steel Prices The Lowest	The sanitary economical covering for papered or plastered walls. Ask for color cards and information
AMMANN'S	AMMANN'S	AMMANN'S

The Complete Hardware and Stove Store

[illegible] Chittenden hotel to [illegible] the work [illegible] a banquet was [illegible] in honor of the [illegible]

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against James Smith, to quiet title George Hagemann has been made a party defendant, as guardian, with leave to plead by April 23.

Receivers F E Guthery and George Whysall, of the Columbus, Marion & Bucyrus Railway company, made application in the common pleas court, Saturday, to enter into a contract with a Milwaukee firm for the purchase of additional air-brake equipment to cost $258. The application was granted by Judge Babst

Receiver Charles L Justice, of the Marion Manufacturing company, brought an action in the common pleas court, against Fidelia F Sellers and Scoville S Walker to collect $210 judgment against the former. He sets up that he caused execution to be issued on a judgment obtained in the assessment of stock holders last November At that time the execution was returned with the information that Fidelia S Sellers had no property on which to levy February 2, 1907, Receiver Justice claims Mrs Sellers purchased by written contract a lot in Houghton's first addition. The consideration proceeded from Mrs. Sellers, but the title, by deed, from William H Houghton, was taken in the name of S S. Walker for the purpose of avoiding the judgment S S Walker, it is claimed, is the same person as the defendant, Scoville S Walker

An answer in the divorce suit of Bertha M Houtz against Hosea F Houtz has been filed in the common pleas court through Attorneys Monsey & Moloney The defendant sets up a general denial

Judge W E Scofield, Monday afternoon, overruled a motion for a jury trial in the partition suit of Mary J Leverton and others against Ellen Mack and others and found for the defendants, Ellen Mack, Thomas Graham, Sophrona Mottenthaler, Elizabeth [illegible] and [illegible] Schoenlaub The partition [illegible] dismissed at the cost of the plaintiffs.

The action was brought to partition a farm of eighty acres in Pleasant township A number of years ago Adam Boyer, who owned the farm, died leaving a widow [illegible] several children The widow later married Thomas Graham and to them were born five children [illegible] Boyer children, it was claimed, transferred their interests in the farm to their stepfather, Thomas Graham When Mrs Graham died her children by her first husband claimed that her dower interest in the estate belonged to them

Judge Scofield held, however, that when Mrs Graham died [illegible] died with her

Attorneys DeGolley & DeGolley represented the plaintiffs and Attorneys Patrick Monahan and Fred W Warner were counsel for the defendants.

A motion to quash summons [illegible]

[illegible] have only recently been completed for distribution

The lowest point in the county is one mile south of Mortal, the elevation being 902 feet The elevation of La Rue, Waldo, Agosta and Caledonia are not shown on the map Among the elevations given are

Marion, 985 feet, Green Camp, 919 feet, Owens, 953 feet, Prospect 909 feet, Mortal, 913 feet, Big Island, 928 feet, Kirkpatrick, 1,013 feet

The story of how Surveyor Ault happened to receive the topographical map is interesting Some time ago a well known farmer of Richland township dropped into his office and began talking about the different elevations in the county This man lives on the Canaan pike, near the Morrow county line He declared that the highest elevation in the county was near his home

"I know it is the highest point because when it rains," the farmer declared, "the water runs down off the tree trunk and goes in four directions."

The Richland township man did not explain why that would indicate the place to be the highest in the county, nor did the surveyor ask him to explain However, Mr Ault decided to make inquiry and the result is that the Richland township point is not the highest elevation by thirty feet or more

RISCH A CANDIDATE FOR COMMISSIONER

He Takes Out the Necessary Papers Monday.

Ludwig Risch, a well-known Republican farmer residing in Marion township, is a candidate for the nomination of county commissioner at the May primaries He took out the necessary nomination papers Monday

Mr Risch was born in Germany [illegible] 1860 and in 1880 came to the United States with his [illegible] They located on a farm in Grand Prairie township, and [illegible] years Mr Risch worked by the month In 1897, he purchased the farm where he now lives [illegible] [illegible] Green Camp township [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] county

Auditor's Statement

County Auditor Charles [illegible] has completed his [illegible] statement [illegible] March [illegible] disbursements during the month amounted to $[illegible] 76 The balance March 1 was $[illegible] 716 74 and the balance [illegible] was $93,106 26 [illegible] [illegible]

Lima has been seeking the industry. It has come perilously near going. A quintet of Marionites blocked the way by investing in options, offering to put $10,000 in the enterprise, providing Marion people outside the quintet will put in $30,000 to $50,000 additional That's the story in brief. Neither the company nor the option-holders asked for this meeting; it came from business men who thought it a crying shame to let so promising an industry to get away from Marion The result was an organized effort to raise the required capital under the direction of the Retail Merchants' association The committee appointed for that purpose is headed by R T Lewis, and his co-workers are W T Jones, Henry True, J E Phillips, John H Bain, S B Lippincott, W B Denman, D A Frank, C L Allen, Martin J Burke and Henry Streitz

UNCLE SAM ISSUES A NEW COOK BOOK

It May Be Had on Application to Congressman Anderson.

Uncle Sam has issued a new cookbook and Representative Carl C Anderson advises the Star that he will gladly mail it to any one who will write him, Room No 171 house office building, Washington

The publication is one of the most popular bulletins of the year, and is entitled "Economic Use of Meats in the Home," and it demonstrates thoroughly that it is possible, by intelligent cooking of meats to save much that is now wasted, as well as to make the cheaper cuts of meat palatable

Every scrap of meat can be utilized, and every housewife should possess a copy of this bulletin, which furnishes information that will, if applied, go far to solve the problem of high cost of living so far as meats are concerned

lock-out system, at [illegible], when he was suddenly taken [illegible] a short time ago of pneumonia His parents were immediately notified and his mother left, Friday, for his bedside. His father, being ill of the same disease, which caused his son's death, was unable to go at that time, but arrived in Crawfordsville Monday morning a short time before his son's death.

The deceased would have been twenty-one years of age had he lived until May, and was an only child He was very well known in this city, where he had frequently visited, and while here he gathered about him many friends by his genial and pleasing personality His death comes as a shock to all those who knew him

The remains were brought here for burial, and were taken to the James B Guthrie home where the funeral was held

WARREN G HARDING ENDORSED BY HARDIN

The Republicans to the West Pledge Him Their Support.

Kenton, April [illegible].—The Hardin county Republican central committee met here Saturday afternoon and enthusiastically passed resolutions endorsing the following: Warren G Harding, of Marion, for governor; Frank B Willis, of Hardin county, for congressman from the Eighth district; Silas H [illegible], of Findlay, for judge of the supreme court; State Senator Campbell, of Marysville, for a second term; Brig S. Young, of Ada, Hardin county, for state dairy and food commissioner, and William F Duncan, of Findlay, for his second term as common pleas judge

COST OF CLOTHING INSANE PATIENTS

Marion County Has About Eighty in State Hospital.

A warrant [illegible] $788 10 was forwarded to [illegible] superintendent of the state hospital for the insane at Columbus [illegible] County Auditor [illegible] in payment for [illegible] three Marion county [illegible] of the institution [illegible] to April 1, 1910 [illegible] out of the county [illegible] over eighty inmates [illegible] hospital.

MOTHER AND CHILD FALL DOWN STAIRWAY

Both Are Seriously, but Not Fatally, Injured.

[illegible] fell backward down [illegible] stairs at her home [illegible] avenue, Monday [illegible] of the bones of [illegible] time the accident [illegible] was carrying her [illegible] the stairs The [illegible] seriously injured [illegible] was called and [illegible] surgical attention [illegible] [illegible] are prominent

stage lasts, $4, $3.69, [illegible]

Misses' Oxfords $1.50 values - - - - $1.23

gun metal oxfords, the guaranteed kind - - - - $4

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"There is no better clothing sold anywhere"

At $15, $20 and $25 than we can show you

AT this store, the clothing coincides with the claims. We are invariably conservative in our estimates of value, so that you will always get far more than you are really led to expect. Value is something every man should consider in buying clothes no matter what size his bank account may be.

It's a generally fact in and around Marion that we sell the best suits or overcoats obtainable at.............................. $15

Garments that fit better, hang more gracefully, wear more satisfactorily, show more signs of clothing quality than the same amount of money, will procure anywhere.

Great Values $20

We've made a reputation by giving extraordinary values at $20. A fourth more expended elsewhere won't procure any more value for you because we insist upon marking merchandise right, at the beginning of the season. All the popular styles; great variety of patterns, choose at $20

Special Values at $25

Garments from Stein Bloch and Hickey, Freeman Co., are features that will appeal to every clothing buyer—Suits and overcoats from the top-notch tailors in all the staple and scarce patterns and fabrics; novelties and conservative styles: price.............................. $25



MACKEN & SMITH

You May Not Have $100.00

But you can surely rise $1. This will open a savings account and you can make regular deposits, on which we will pay [illegible] per cent. compounded quarterly. You will soon have $100, which will earn 5 per cent [illegible] annually.

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[illegible] paper

UNCLAIMED MAIL.

The following mail remains unclaimed in the local postoffice:

Men—H S Beaver, Billi Cheeney, Anderson Cowen, W H Docket, Ira Hesser, L S Hale, William Jerow, Lawrence Miller, Stephen S Ott, George Noyer, Earnest Parks, L V O'Connell, W H Pryor, W B Slaw-son, Will E Shaw, I E Slate, John H Snider, Joe Snyder, E A Taylor, C I Thompson, Hugh F Colle, H S Van Meter, Allen Wise and Abram Williams.

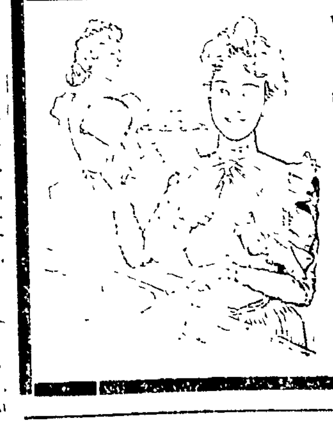
Women—Mrs Hattie Burch, Mrs Charles P Batt, Mrs Blanche Bell, Mrs William H Cochran, Miss Lena Dixon, Mrs Millie Dickslip, Mrs John Demars, Miss Cora Fox, Mrs I H Gleason, Mrs Wilma House, Lena Gayl Koehler, Miss M Lykens, Mrs G W Lemon, Miss P J Ward-son, Mrs Mabel McNeil, Mrs Florence Noll, Mrs Maria Poe, Mrs Versie Robinson, Miss Mary Stevens, Mrs B F Smith, Mrs Irene Swaim, Mrs May Stella, Mrs Eva Weaver.

Firms—Stage Carpenter, [illegible], [illegible] Ray Company, F A Berry & [illegible] Co., Bolton Brothers.

Foreign—Florentino Illamino, [illegible].

Notice—When calling please say mail was advertised

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WHITE, LIGHT AND WHOLESOME BREAD,

that delights the housewife when her baking is done is made from the high grade, pure and nutritious flour that is ground at our mills from the finest of wheat. Good wholesome Clover Leaf flour is of fine rich tempting flavor, and contains more nourishment to the pound than any other flour in the market [illegible] grocers sell it.

The Marion National Mills.

Shouts of "Marshall! Marshall!" were heard above the din. Even this utterance had no noticeable effect on the diners, who felt in it a touch of Jeffersonianism: "I lived before I got the job as your governor and I will try to live after it is over."

The fact that Governor Marshall is comparatively a poor man and his marked disinclintion to hear the "call" forms the basis of the argument of those Democrats, who, although admirers of the man, fear his presidential boom will be confined in the state.

"I believe it is all but asinine to talk of Marshall as making a race for the presidency," said one visiting Democrat today. "He has come before the public only recently; he has not the money himself to make a race for the office, and he has not the financial connections which other candidates are known to possess.

Talks of Harmon.

"Harmon, of Ohio, long has been known in the world of railroads and finance, and as a lawyer. Marshall, though perhps eminently fitted and possessing deserving integrity, is of a retiring manner and thinks more of his books and his Indiana home"

Among those who today are even more enthusiastic than ever over the prospect of having the national party reach into Indiana for its 1912 standard bearer, last night's event is regarded merely as a great ovation, sparkled by John W. Kern, toastmaster at the Jefferson-day festivities, when he introduced the governor But these admirers of Marshall are confident that the ovation will have an undying effect, and will spread over the nation as a real boom for a man untampered by the moneyed interests and who as yet has not said he will decline the nomination.

New York May Switch.

New York, April 11—Inquiry, this afternoon, seems to indicate that New York Democrats will sidetrack the little boom started for Mayor Gaynor for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1912 as the result of the speech of Governor Thomas Marshall, of Indiana, at the Jeffersonian dinner in Indianapolis last night. Many feel that a Simon-pure Jeffersonian Democrat who can reunite all elements in the party and make a strong candidate for the next national campaign, has been uncovered.

That Marshall is a poor man and has tied up with no factions adds to his strength, and the Democrats believe today that he is sure to be a lively rival of Judson Harmon when the next Democratic national convention assembles.

May Endorse Marshall.

Indianapolis, Ind. April 11—The possibility that the forthcoming state Democratic convention April 27 and 28, may insist on endorsing Governor Thomas R. Marshall for president, is today impelling friends of the governor to urge him not to renounce the honor in his keynote speech as temporary chairman. A

votes on the question whether to return to work had been made.

NEGRO SHOT TO DEATH IN JAIL

After He Has Shot and Killed Former Sheriff.

MAKES BARRICADE IN THE BASEMENT

And He Refuses To Come Out When Ordered.

Mob Swarms into the Jail Building, Drags Out the Yet Warm Body of the Negro and Hangs Corpse. Body Cut Down, Throat Cut from Ear to Ear and Set on Fire—A Horror at Meridan in Mississippi.

Meridian, Miss, April 13—While a mob of 2,000 men surrounded the jail demanding the life of Tom O'Neal, a negro who had shot and killed former Sheriff John Temple and then barricaded himself in the jail cellar, deputies entered the basement and shot O'Neal to death when he refused to come out.

The mob then swarmed into the jail and the negro, being hardly dead, dragged him to the street and hanged him. O'Neil throat was cut from ear to ear and the body set on fire The deputies again interfered and stamped out the fire.

Ten other negroes were in the jail basement and George Williams was wounded when the officers fired on O'Neal. The mob has not left the jail and is clamoring for Williams.

The greatest excitement still reigns here, and it is feared George Williams, O'Neal's companion, will be lynched before the crowd can be dispersed.

Williams was behind the barricade when O'Neal was shot down by the deputy sheriff.

Hanged for Murder.

Scranton, Pa., April 11—Shandore Fenez, was hanged at the county jail this morning for the murder of Mrs. Lizzie Horvath, in Throop, on December 31, 1908.

Jessie Is Dead.

Washington, April 11—There is grief today at the White House, for "Jessie" is dead "Jessie" was the Taft cow.

[illegible] chair company when the fire started were 50 prisoners making chairs, and these were led from the burning building and locked in their cells. Meanwhile the firemen were making every effort to save the main building, where the prisoners were held. When it was found that the firemen could not prevent the fire from spreading into the main building, Sheriff Hugo called all his deputies and nearly the entire police force and planned for the removal of the prisoners to a place of safety. In the meantime Colonel James A Geddes, commander of the Second regiment, C. N. G., was appealed to by Sheriff Hugo for enough local militiamen to guard the prisoners during their removal from the jail Colonel Geddes procured the required permission from Governor Weeks by telephone for use of the city militiamen, and by the authority of Adjutant General Cowles three companies of the Second regiment in this city were sent to the jail. The prisoners were loaded into vans, trolley cars, busses and automobiles, and under guard of the guardsmen were transferred, the men to the central police station and the women to the Second regiment and the foot-guard armories.

Hemmed In by Flames.

Of four firemen who went into the jail to fight the fire only one escaped. They were suddenly hemmed in by the flames and when they tried the windows the iron bars prevented them from making their escape. They made for the cellar in the hope of getting out that way, but there was no means of exit, and Lieutenant Doherty, who was one of the number, called, "It's up to the roof, boys," and they started to make their way through the burning building to the roof. Only one reached there, Fireman Shugrue, and although he tried to pull up his comrades when they fell exhausted, he corld not. He jumped from the roof and was picked up two hours later, after he had been given up for dead.

When the fire was finally under control a search was made, and what is believed to be portions of six bodies were recovered. It was found that the cells in the main part of the jail were all right, and the militiamen, deputy sheriffs and other officials, under the direction of Sheriff Hugo, escorted the prisoners from the police station and the armories back to the jail.

Brother of Garfield Dead.

Grand Rapids, Mich, April 13.—Thomas Garfield, eighty-five years old, a brother of the martyred president, is dead at his home in Jamestown, Ottawa county. He was the village's oldest citizen, having lived there for forty-three years. He came to Michigan from Ohio in the early pioneer days.

Well-Known Jurist Dead.

Akron, O., April 13—Judge William H. Upson, eighty-seven, a well-known jurist, died today at his home here. He was a member of the convention that founded the Republican party.

more intense than it ever was before. Jeff McCain district attorney, declined to give out any statement but in speaking of the pardon in private applied to the governor the vilest epithet that one man may use in speaking of another. Captain G T Fitzhugh of Memphis, another one of the state's counsel in the trial in the court below, gave out a statement denouncing it as disgraceful haste, shocking to every sense of decency.

JUDGE TAYLER WILL NOT BE CANDIDATE

Refuses To Accept Endorsement of Columbiana Republicans.

Lisbon, O., April 11.—Federal Judge R. W Tayler, of Cleveland, eliminated himself yesterday as a possible candidate for the Republican nomination for governor of Ohio, by refusing to accept the endorsement of the Columbiana county Republican central committee.

32,000 Are Illiterate.

New York, April 11.—Investigation today revealed that in the enormous number of immigrants admitted through Ellis island during the past month, 32,000 were absolutely illiterate.

announced that the Democratic party stood ready to welcome all who wished to join it in the coming struggle.

One of the most significant features was the generous round of applause that followed the declaration of Francis Burton Harrison that "the governor of Ohio is the most popular man in the party."

The close friends of W. J. Bryan are keenly disappointed at the action of Toastmaster Henry D. Clayton in withholding the Bryan letter until the very last and using it as the "Home, Sweet Home" feature of the program.

No Peerless Leader Stunt.

Not once during the four hours of oratory was there the slightest reference to "Our Peerless Leader" which at previous Jefferson day dinners here has always been the signal for wild demonstration.

It was 2 a. m. before John Temple Graves took the floor to deliver his message from Hearst. "If the Democratic party is ready for the principles that our league has fought for, we will unite in the forthcoming struggle," he said

"The Independence league is

RECORD BREAKING NUMBER IMMIGRANTS ARRIVING IN U. S.



New York, April 11.—Twenty-three ships are on the Atlantic ocean due to arrive in New York City by April 25 with a record breaking number of immigrants. [illegible] than 30,000 new or would-be new citizens of the United States are on [illegible] ships with many thousand more on the way. During March 120,841 aliens arrived in the New York port Of this number 1,172 were deported by officials as not being subjects fit for the bounties of the United States. Commissioner Williams expects April to be a record breaking month in the history of the New York port, as over 100,000 have arrived so far and with more than 30,000 on the way. A score of vessels are still to report, which may bring the number of new arrivals close to the 200,000 mark. The immigrant officials say the large increase is due partly to the return of aliens who left for Europe during the panic of 1907 and who are anxious to again take up their work in America since the return of prosperity.

day.

THE LIABILITY OF EMPLOYERS

Unique System Being Considered at Present,

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Goes Far Beyond Anything in World of Industry.

Will Cover Every Case Excepting That of Intoxication or Wilful Disregard of Safety Appliances and Will Entirely Eliminate the Contributory Negligence and Fellow-Servant Clause.

Chicago, April 14.—The International Harvester company, which has 25,000 employes, will adopt a system of employers' liability for injury and death of employes, said to be more liberal than that which is at present in force in any state.

It will cover every case except that of intoxictaion or wilful disregard of safety appliances and will eliminate entirely the contributory negligence and the fellow-servant clause of the Illinois statute applicable to such cases This was the announcement made today

The scale of compensation provided is as follows:

In case of death there will be paid three years' average wages, but not more than $4,000 nor less than $1,500. In case of the loss of one hand or foot, one and one-half year's average wages but not less than $500 nor more than $2,000 For the loss of both hands or both feet or one hand and one foot, four year's average wages but in no event less than $2,000.

The benefits will be payable as soon as the accident occurs, according to the statement of Harold F. McCormick, vice president, who figured that the annual cost of the benefit to the company will be about a quarter of a million dollars

The employes will still retain the right to sue the company for damages until after the benefit is paid.

twelve children will be as much of a disgrace as being a confirmed drunkard is at present.

Responsibility of Parents.

"Parents should be taught the responsibility of bringing children into the world, and when they have been taught that fully nine-tenths of the babies born every year are nothing more nor less than human culls, I believe the birth rate will decrease and we shall have a better and a stronger race.

"Before I leave Washington, I shall find out how many millions of dollars are being appropriated to stamp out diseases in animals and to improve the breed of horses, pigs, livestock of all kinds; everything, in fact, except the human species.

"What humanity needs is a Luther Burbank for human plants. Marriage today is but one-third marriage and that one-third physical. There is no union of the mental and spiritual."

After discoursing along this line to the suffragists here, Mrs. Baker will carry her new creed to New York, where she will address the Sunset club on "The Equality of the Sexes." From there she will go to Europe to attempt to secure the meeting of the great international congress on Eugenics for the United States two years hence.

INVESTIGATION UP TO GOVERNOR FORT

Governor Must Call Special Session To Inquire About "Drunken Orgy"

Trenton, N. J., April 13.—Unless Governor Fort calls a special session of the New Jersey legislature there can be no official investigation of the charges that women and legislators joined in a "drunken orgy" during the all-night session that followed the final adjournment last week. Attorney General Wilson declares Senate President Frelinghuysen and Speaker Ward have not the power to name a joint committee to look into the scandal unless they are authorized by the entire legislative body so to do.

Frelinghuysen, Ward and Governor Fort conferred on the subject yesterday. None of the trio would talk pending final determination of a definite plan of action.

BREAD PRICES ARE BOOSTED BY BAKERS

In Indiana as a Result of a Law Recently Passed.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 14.—An advance of one cent a loaf on bread will be imposed July 1 by Indiana bakers as a result of a state law requiring that loaves be wrapped in tissue before removal from the bakeshops Among Hoosier bakers here today attending the annual convention of the Association of Master Bakers, there is speculation as to the effect of a resolution adopted last night favoring the increase from five to six cents.

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THE JURY FAILS TO REACH AGREEMENT

Matter of Waldo Bank Against W. W. Augenstein.

DEFENDANT CLAIMS NOTE IS A FORGERY

Bank Seeks To Recover on a Note for $300—Jurors Deliberate the Entire Night and Then Report a Disagreement—Notes of Interest in Common Pleas Court.

A disagreement was reported, at 6:15 Saturday morning, by a jury in the common pleas court, in the suit of the Farmers' bank of Waldo against W. D. Augenstein to obtain judgment on a promissory note for $300. The trial of the suit lasted seven days. The defendant's counsel claimed that his name had been forged, but the name of the alleged forger was not mentioned. A Columbus handwriting expert testified that the signature was a forgery and a number of other notes bearing Mr. Augenstein's signature were introduced in evidence. The alleged bogus signature was strikingly similar to the genuine signatures, but the expert brought out a number of characteristics which, he said, proved that the name signed to the note for $300 was not written by the same hand that penned the signatures to other notes admitted by the defendant's counsel to be genuine. On cross-examination he admitted that he received $50 a day and expenses.

Ten witnesses were summoned by the plaintiff and four by the defendant. The jury went out to deliberate at 6:30 o'clock Friday evening. After deliberating all night the jurors asked to be excused, as they could not agree. They were Patrick Hanley, Henry Shrock, Nicholas Bader, Jerome Ault, William Raridon, E. E. Mason, David Hinamon, P. C. Sells, Samuel Kraner, Byron Falk, John Drake and Edward Burke.

Attorneys Harry N. Quigley and Mouser & Moloney represented the defendant and Attorneys C. H. Conley and Crissinger & Guthery were counsel for the plaintiff.

The suit of Lewis Allmendinger against Philip Dutt, executor, has been settled at the cost of plaintiff.

In the suit of Mary Lawrence [illegible] the alimony proceeding of Mary Weaver against Charles Beaver [illegible] overruled by Judge Schofield [illegible] morning. Both parties [illegible] been divorced but both have [illegible] remarried. The plaintiff [illegible] alimony on account of the defendant's child in her custody.

In the injunction proceedings of Michael J. Burke, Peter H. Neidig, William Meier and Frederick Page to restrain County Treasurer W. C. [illegible] from collecting the Dow [illegible] tax, Judge [illegible] [illegible] by April 20.

A jury in the common pleas court, Tuesday, gave the defendant [illegible] compensation for land and $500 [illegible] a building [illegible] on [illegible] land condemned by the [illegible] for the opening of [illegible] street. The title of the suit was the City of Marion against Emma Keil and others [illegible] damages.

J. J. Ullom, Marion township [illegible] supervisor, certified to County Auditor Charles Allen, Tuesday, the names and the amounts assessed each property owner for the [illegible] cleaning out of Rock Swale ditch. Nearly 900 names of taxpayers are [illegible] assessable, the assessments running all the way from three cents to $20. The lots assessed in Marion are taxed on an average of ten cents each. The tax will be placed on the December duplicate. The total cost of the improvement was about $3,000.

KIRKPATRICK IS 1,013 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL

There Is Found the Highest Point in County.

LOWEST IS A MILE SOUTH OF MORRAL

Low Elevation Is 902 Feet—Marion Is 985 Feet Above the Sea—Surveyor Edward S. Ault Receives a Topographical Map of the County from Congressman Anderson.

Kirkpatrick, in Scott township, is the highest point in the county. It is 1,013 feet above sea-level, according to a topographical map received here by County Surveyor Edward S. Ault from Congressman Carl C. Anderson.

A survey of Marion county was made by state and government en-

MARION INTERESTED IN THE OHIO TRACTOR

Several Business Men Saw It in Operation

AND THINK IT OUGHT BE KEPT IN MARION

Committee Will Take Up Work of Adding Thirty Thousand New Capital to the Lake Sum Already Pledged, and Hold the Industry for Marion—Tractor a Success.

There was the sign of a reawakening of the industrial spirit in Marion Friday, when a delegation of forty or fifty business men, professional men, merchants and capitalists gathered at the old Leader works to witness a demonstration with the Harrold tractor built by the Ohio Tractor Manufacturing company, which has been pushing its model forward in the Leader works for the past eight months. The demonstration was made with a big seventy-horse-power gasoline tractor, under the direction of the inventor and designer, T. H. Harrold, and General Manager Miller, and proved highly interesting and informing to the assembled Marionites. Most of them knew in a vague way that inventors and traction-engine builders had been trying for ten years to perfect the gasoline traction engine, but not one knew that the Harrold product, begun at Delaware and perfected in Marion, is the best thing in its line ever produced. Richard Norris, long-time mechanical head of the Leader works, disinterested and capable, says it is the best thing on wheels, even though he has always been prejudiced in favor of steam, heretofore. The demonstration awakened great enthusiasm, and gave proof anew that a community seldom realizes the development of great things in its own midst.

Following the demonstration of the tractor came the business end, and purpose of the meeting. The tractor is to be built on a larger scale, having a demand for scores where only one is now produced. The company is turning out two each week, it could readily sell ten to twenty each week. The purpose is to acquire a permanent home in Marion, with enlarged capital, or accept such advantages elsewhere.



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THE MANHATTAN.

CARL JUVENAL DEAD AT CRAWFORDSVILLE

He Falls a Victim to an Attack of Pneumonia

HIS ILLNESS IS OF SHORT DURATION

Nephew of Mrs. James B. Guthery, of This City, Where He Is Quite Well Known and Very Popular. Remains Were Brought Here for Burial—Funeral at Guthery Home.

Mrs. James B. Guthery, of east Center street, received a telephone message Monday morning stating that her nephew, Carl Juvenal, of Urbana, had died [illegible] morning at Crawfordsville, Ind., [illegible] of pneumonia.

Mr. Juvenal was in Crawfordsville, installing a telephone plant for his father, C. D. Juvenal, who is engaged in the manufacture [illegible] automatic

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INDIANAPOLIS SPECULATING

On the Effect of the Marshall Presidential Boom

LAUNCHED THERE WEDNESDAY NIGHT

During Progress of Jefferson Day Festivities.

Hoosiers Believe That Democracy Will Look to Indiana for Its Presidential Candidate in 1912, but That View Is Not General—Marshall Appears Content as Governor of the State.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 14.—Awakening today after a Jefferson day lovefeast which continued until after 2 o'clock this morning and marked the first pronounced presidential boom for Governor Thomas R. Marshall, Democrats from many states are speculating on how far the effect of their action will extend.

Sobered from the thrills of 800 men leaping to their feet and cheering a "Hoosier president," not a few Democrats today believe that Marshall's endorsement will not be received seriously by the nation.

Governor Marshall last night sought to avoid the endorsement by declaring that he desires only to serve the people of Indiana and as governor of the state is not a candidate for any other office. The wave of enthusiasm was unchanged, however, when he added that no man who seeks the presidency by trickery or fraud is fit for the place.

Enthusiasm Great.

sub-committee of the state body has agreed upon the governor as temporary chairman of the convention, giving him another opportunity to urge the naming of a senatorial candidate in convention.

Following the stirring endorsement of the governor for president at the Jefferson day banquet last night, many Democrats who heartily agree in the wisdom of his plan to nominate a senator, are today urging a repetition of that endorsement in convention. Since the governor advocates free and public expression of feeling toward candidates, it is argued he must not oppose the convention's voice on the presidential issue.

A FALLING WALL KILLS TWO TODAY

During Progress of Shriners' Mardi Gras at New Orleans.

New Orleans, April 11.—A twelve-year-old boy, so badly crushed that he was unrecognizable, was instantly killed, and Howard, the fourteen-year-old son of "Bug" Holliday, former Cincinnati ball player, was so badly injured that he died from his injuries, this afternoon, as a result of the falling of a large section of a brick wall of a building at Rampart and Canal streets, the heart of the section most frequented by attendants at the Shriners' Mardi Gras here. Young Holliday was hit on the head by a brick.

Five others were seriously injured. They are Mrs. T. S. Perretti, Joseph Perretti, Ludwig Rowdner, St. Joseph, Missouri; C. Bennett, Cleveland, Ohio; Joseph Labaurette.

The meeting of the Shriners here has stirred up a factional fight in the Catholic church of Louisiana. Archbishop Blenk forbade Catholics witnessing the Shriners' parade, today, on pain of incurring the church's displeasure. Thousands have defied the order.

Strike Is Ended.

St. Paul, Minn., April 13.—The strike of Northwestern railroad switchmen, which has been on for four months and twelve days terminated early today. "The men go back unconditionally," said President Frank T. Hawley, after the count of

LOSE LIVES TO SAVE JAIL BIRDS

Bodies of Six Missing Firemen Are Found

IN RUINS OF THE NEW HAVEN JAIL

Further Details of the Horror in Connecticut.

Cells of the Jail Are Found To Be Intact and the Men and Women Prisoners Are Returned to Their Cells from the Police Station and Armories Where They Are Kept During Progress of Fire.

New Haven, Conn., April 14.—Six firemen lost their lives in the fire which practically destroyed the county jail in this city. They were: Captain Charles L. Chapman, Lieutenant William Doherty, Ladderman John E. Buckley, Hoseman James T. Cullen, Hoseman James T. Mortelle and Hoseman James McGrath. One of the firemen was critically injured and several less seriously hurt were taken to various hospitals.

Six bodies have been removed from the ruins. When the fire was discovered there were 300 men and 50 women prisoners in the jail. The fire originated on the second floor of the workshop of the jail, and is believed to have been caused by crossed wires, although the story was circulated that it had been started by one of the prisoners in the hope that the inmates might escape.

Started In Chair Factory.

In the shop of the Connecticut

GOVERNOR PATTERSON

Pardons Duncan Cooper After Pen Sentence Is Confirmed.



PARDON OF COOPER REVIVES OLD FEUD

Tennesseeans Denounce the Action of Governor Patterson.

Nashville, Tenn., April 14.—The Tennessee supreme court delivered its opinion in the case of Duncan B. and Robin Cooper charged with the murder of United States Senator Edward Carmack. The Coopers were convicted in the Davidson county criminal court and sentenced to 20 years in the pen. The supreme court affirmed the sentence as to the defendant Duncan B. Cooper but reversed it as to Robin Cooper. Immediately after the decision Governor Patterson pardoned Duncan C. Cooper.

That the governor would pardon Colonel Cooper in case the court affirmed his sentence has been known all along but that the pardon should be granted before the aged man left the statehouse was unexpected. All over Tennessee the bitterness is

HEARST PARTY WILL RETURN

Independence League To Go Back to Democracy.

SO ANNOUNCES ITS PRESIDENT

At the Jefferson Banquet in Federal Capital.

The Possibility of a Democratic Campaign Being Launched with the Cry of "Harmon, Hearst and Harmony" Is Being Discussed Today in Washington—Close Friends of Bryan Keenly Disappointed.

Washington, April 14.—The possibility of a Democratic campaign being launched with the cry of "Harmon, Hearst and Harmony," is being discussed today following the Jefferson banquet, which developed a number of surprises.

The Bryan letter of which much had been written and said before the banquet was not read until 2:30 o'clock this morning when many of the guests had departed.

Throughout the dinner there was a predominant spirit of "getting together."

The climax came in the speech of John Temple Graves, former candidate for vice president on the Independence league ticket, who announced that the Hearst party was ready to return to the ranks of the Democratic party. His announcement was received with an outburst of applause that indicated the approval of those present.

Champ Clark, of Missouri, had

against the Democratic party of caucus, but for the Democratic party of responsibility, the party of principle. We see an opportunity for united action. We are ready to accept a Democratic party that is not half Bryan, half Belmont, half Hearst, half Ryan. If these terms are not acceptable, the Independence league must stand outside and await a better day.

"We must put aside the differences of the past. I come with the full consent of the members of the league and they stand as I do, hopeful of the future in the revived principles of true Democracy."

Graves' message was greeted with tumultuous applause lasting for five minutes.

ROOSEVELT IS TO MAKE SPEECHES

In Indiana for Beveridge, Says Louisville Courier-Journal.

Louisville, Ky., April 14.—The Courier-Journal today prints a telegram from its Washington correspondent, O. O. Stealey, which states that Roosevelt is going to make two or three speeches in Indiana for his friend, Senator Albert Beveridge, some time between the middle and the end of September, the first speech to be in Indianapolis.

KILLS HIS WIFE; SHOOTS HIMSELF

A Double Tragedy Over at Barberton This Afternoon.

Akron, O., April 13.—Harry Fravel, thirty, this afternoon shot and killed his wife and then fatally shot himself at their home on Raymond avenue, Barberton. Fravel had not been working recently and quarreled with his wife when she urged him to find a position.

SEVEN FOREIGNERS ARE KILLED TODAY

By a Premature Blast at Quarry Near Easton, Pennsylvania.

Easton, Pa., April 13.—Seven men, all foreigners, were killed, and three others, one of them an American, were badly injured through the premature explosion of a blast at the stone quarry of the Nazareth Cement company, at Nazareth, to-

A BURBANK FOR HUMAN PLANTS

That's What Is Needed, Says Mrs. Loraine Baker,

AT WOMAN SUFFRAGE CONVENTION TODAY

Roosevelt and Anthony Comstock Are Scored.

Woman Suffrage Will Produce Better Children—Quality, Not Quantity—Ninety Per Cent. of American Babies Are "Human Culls," Avers Speaker—Ten Years Hence Ten Children Will Be a Disgrace.

Washington, April 14.—Preaching a new gospel of "Quality, not Quantity," in children, Mrs. Loraine Helen Baker, of Spokane, Washington, who is here attending the convention of the National Woman Suffrage association today, declared that ninety per cent. of American children are "human culls." She denounced the Roosevelt anti-race suicide theory in good, round terms.

"Roosevelt, poor, ignorant man," said Mrs. Baker, "urges large families, and Anthony Comstock will cry out against obscenity when the subject of Eugenics is broached. But I tell you, it is quality we want in children, not quantity. Woman suffrage will produce better children, for it will produce better thinking.

"My studies of children all over the world have convinced me that not more than ten per cent. of them are children of love. The other ninety per cent. are not wanted, and this leads me to think that ten years hence to be the father of ten or

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ONE INDICTED; ONE CONFESSES

Pittsburg Grand Jury Returns Bill Against Hoffstet.

IS BANKER AND STEEL MAGNATE

Action Follows Statement of the District Attorney.

Blakely Says, in Effect, That the President of the German National Bank Proposed To Make Him Holder of Big Graft Stake—Head of Workingman's Savings Bank Admits Tampering with Men.

Pittsburg, April 7. Frank N. Hoffstot, millionaire president of the German National bank of Allegheny and president of the Pressed Steel Car company, was indicted by the grand jury on charges of bribery and conspiracy. Emil Winter of the Workingman's Savings Bank and Trust company of Allegehny, went into court and confessed that he had bribed councilmen to the extent of $20,000. James M. Anderson, general bookkeeper of the Workingman's Savings Bank and Trust company, was arraigned on a charge of having mutilated the books of his bank to save exposure of certain persons. He was placed under bail. For some time Hoffstot has been making his residence in New York and the grand jury calls on the district attorney to proceed forthwith to extradite him.

Blakely Turns Witness.

District Attorney William A Blakeley appeared as a citizen before the grand jury in connection with the Hoffstot probe and told how, before he became district attorney, he had been approached by Hoffstet, by the late J. W Friend and by Councilman Charles Stewart and asked to act as stakeholder for a fund of $52,000 which they were to pay certain councilmen for the passage of a bank ordinance. Blakely was asked to hold the money as a guard against cheating on the part of the councilmen, and part of his duty would be to pay it out to the crooked city fathers as they fulfilled their promises. Attorney Blakely refused to consider the proposition.

Hoffstot and friends then began to negotiate with Stewart, representing the councilmen, to have all payments of graft made in New York city with money shipped from Pittsburg.

It is charged that Hoffstot on two occasions solicited money from Cashier James M. Young of the Second National bank of Pittsburg, and caused him to ship to New York $21,000 as that bank's share of the bribe money.

DECLARES HIMSELF OPPOSED TO BOYCOTT

Taft Says the Government Will Stand by Contracts.

Washington, April 6.—Declaring himself forcibly opposed to the boycott, as involved in the Bethlehem Steel strike, President Taft today told a delegation of fifty business and professional men representing the borough of Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, that so long as the Bethlehem company turns out good work it will be given government contracts despite the efforts of the strikers to take away its government contracts.

The delegation, representing the industrial commission of Bethlehem, presented a resolution to the president deploring the efforts of the strikers to turn the government business away from the Bethlehem company.

Members of the delegation say representatives of the strikers are working among congressmen and departmental chiefs, claiming that the work of the Bethlehem Steel company is of an inferior quality, turned out by incompetent men.

Wins Championship.

Sydney, N. S. W., April 7.—Johnny Summers, the London lightweight, won the lightweight championship of Australia, Wednesday, when he knocked out Harry Meehegan in the nineteenth round of their twenty-round contest.



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BLOODHOUNDS HUNT UNKNOWN ASSAILANT

Woman Maltreated and House Set on Fire To Hide Crime.

Cambridge City, Ind., April 7.—Bloodhounds and a posse of 500 farmers are searching for the unknown assailant of Mrs. Frank Allison, thirty-eight, living on a farm near here, who set fire to her home to conceal his crime.

Mrs Allison was alone at the time of the tragedy. Her husband was in a field nearby and her two small sons were at school. The first knowledge of the tragedy was seen by a party of automobilists, who saw the house burning and rushed to the scene.

Allison rushed into the house and endeavored to save his furniture when he stumbled over the body of his wife. It was found she had been maltreated and then her head crushed in with some blunt instrument.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, April 7.—Treasury statement Receipts, $2,049,187; disbursements $854,839.

SUGAR TRUST IN BAD AGAIN

Government Proposes To Go After It Once More.

AN INVESTIGATION AT NEW ORLEANS

Is To Be Begun by Uncle Sam in Near Future.

High Officials in Washington Admit That They Do Not Know Just What Will Be Developed in New Orleans, but They Have Reason To Believe That a Vein of Pay Dirt Will Be Struck.

Washington April 7. The American Sugar Refining company, the so called sugar trust is to be taken to task once more by the United States government. This time the scene of the federal attack is to be shifted from New York to New Orleans.

High officials here admit they do not know just what may be the outcome of the proceedings at New Orleans, it was said, but that the government intends to demand the books of the sugar trust there and, if necessary, to make just as thorough investigation there as they did in New York city in uncovering the frauds amounting to millions of dollars.

Winfred T Denison of New York who rendered valuable assistance to Henry L. Stimson, the government's special prosecutor in the sugar cases is on his way to New Orleans. The government thinks it knows a way to make the sugar trust show its records. Mr Denison it was said will attempt to convince the trust officials that they should be good and show their books. If they do not recognize the force of his arguments he will resort to the [illegible] of subpoenas and will ask the federal grand jury now in session in New Orleans to make trust officials give the information desired.

Following the discovery [illegible] at the New York [illegible] the government began investigating at other ports where [illegible] At New Orleans in ordinary course of events, it asked the [illegible] to give up its records to inspection. The sugar company [illegible] contending that there was [illegible] the government [illegible] The government [illegible] decided that it w[illegible] shown.

One [illegible] equal to a capital [illegible]

A COMPLETE CONFESSION

Bertram G. Spencer Claimed To Have Made One

TO THE POLICE OF SPRINGFIELD

Said To Have Admitted Many Serious Crimes.

Confession Is Said To Cover Numerous Robberies in the Vicinity of the Massachusetts City Culminating with the Murder of Miss Martha B. Blackstone and Serious Wounding of Miss Harriet Dow.

Springfield, Mass., April 6.—A complete confession covering numerous robberies in this vicinity and culminating with the murder of Miss Martha B Blackstone and the curious wounding of Miss Harriet Dow in the Dow home in the residence section of this city on March 31, was made today by Bertram G. Spencer, according to the police. The chief stated that while he would like to make the confession public, he could not do so until it had been presented to the court and the grand jury that will pass upon the case.

District Attorney Taft took charge of the case today, and Spencer has been remanded to jail without bail, pending a preliminary examination and the inquiry of the grand jury.

It was intimated by the police that Spencer admitted complicity in many mysterious crimes that have heretofore been mysterious and has told how the loot of a series of robberies was disposed of.

Spencer Is Arraigned.

Springfield, Mass., April 6.—Bertram G Spencer was formally arraigned today on a charge of murder before Police Judge Bosworth and remanded without bail.

The authorities announce that they have a complete chain of evidence against Spencer for the murder not only of Miss Martha B Blackstone in the hold-up at the Dow home last week, but implicating him in the series of hold-ups and robberies that have terrorized this section for over a year. Spencer proclaims his innocence and says the police case against him is a "frame-up."

Miss Lucy Dow will be the chief witness against Spencer. After examining the leather belt and pistol holster found in Spencer's home she declared today that it was the same worn by the masked robber who shot and killed Miss Blackstone and seriously wounded her sister, Miss Harriet Dow, in her presence. She said:

Sure of Belt.

"That is surely the piece of leather the man wore last Thursday night. That holster made a vivid impression on my mind, and I can not be mistaken. So far as it is possible to positively identify a man whom I saw but once and then masked, I identify this man as the individual who shot Miss Blackstone."

Both Miss Dow and her mother have identified a leather belt and a pearl breast pin as belonging to them. The police allege these two articles were found with the other jewelry recovered from Spencer's home but both he, his mother and wife, declare the articles were placed there by the police for reasons of their own.

Mrs. Spencer, wife of the accused man, declared in [illegible] that she will be able to prove [illegible] her husband was at home on [illegible] of March 31, when the killing took place.

THE MAD MULLAH

Again on the War[illegible], Slays Thousands of B[illegible] Subjects



USE OF DYNAMITE SAVES THE TOWN

Fire Finally Burns Itself Out with Loss of Over $100,000.

North Pownal, Vt., April 6.—The liberal use of dynamite in blowing up houses in the path of the flames saved the town from total destruction today, and the fire finally burned itself out, with a loss of $100,000. Frank Eldridge was fatally injured while trying to save his employer's book from the flames. The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin.

Among the buildings destroyed was the Congregational church in the vestry of which Presidents James A. Garfield and Chester A. Arthur taught school.

WILD COW CHASES LIMA CITIZENS

Attacks Child and Terrorizes the Residents—Animal Is Killed.

Lima, O., April 6. Attacked by a vicious cow, Leo Langley, four, narrowly escaped [illegible] The infuriated animal had knocked the boy down and was about to gore him, when its attention was attracted elsewhere.

The cow chased pedestrians off of the street, and residents of the West Side [illegible] state of terror before it was killed.

Longworth Seeks Renomination.

Cincinnati, O., April 6. The local Republican organization today is circulating petitions renominating Nicholas Longworth, son-in-law of ex-President Roosevelt, for congress in the First Ohio district, and Herman P. Goebel in the Second district.

Delaware Lad Drowned.

Delaware, O. April 6.—Howard, the six-year-old son of Link Scott of near Chesnire, was drowned in a cistern at his home. The body was found by his mother and fishhooks were used to draw it to the surface.

LIMIT VETO POWER OF HOUSE OF LORDS

Believed Resolution Introduced by Premier Asquith Will Carry.

London, April 7.—In the house of commons Wednesday afternoon, War Secretary Haldane moved the adoption of the resolution limiting the veto power of the house of lords.

This resolution is the first of three introduced by Premier Asquith a week ago. The resolution prohibits the lords from vetoing or amending a money bill.

It is believed that the resolution will be carried by a majority of at least 120.

LOUIE BERNARD IN LIMELIGHT

He Is the Prominent Democrat Named by Winters

WHO MAKES OFFER FOR LATTER'S VOTE

So Winters Testifies on Stand at Probe.

Winters Has a Hankering for Job of Secretary of State and Bernard, So Winters Testifies, Offers To Help Him to It If He Will Vote Right—The Elson Bill Probe Is Opened This Morning.

Columbus, O., April 6.—Representative Asa Elson, first witness in the investigation of alleged bribery in connection with the passage of the Elson telephone merger bill, testified he had drafted the bill without assistance; that he had no interest in any telephone company, and that he knew of no improper influence or action before, during or after the passage of the bill.

Elson said "Billy" Williams, employed by the Independent Telephone company, and Simon Cronin, employed by the Bell Telephone county, and having charge of the house telephone services, had lobbied against the bill and in favor of it, respectively.

There had been a big lobby, he said, but it had operated rather against the bill, he believed. The house could give a freer expression on legislation if there were no such lobby, but he did not know, except through rumor, of any one having been improperly influenced or of any such attempt having been made.

Elson called up Harvey Garber on the telephone the day the bill was passed to ask if Garber had been in the lobby. He had not talked to Garber before, and had not known that he was connected with the Bell company, he said.

"Louie" Bernard in It.

Representative Cyrus B. Winters, Democratic floor leader of the house, who started the bribery investigation by declaring in a newspaper interview that he had been offered "anything he wanted" if he would vote for the Elson bill, testified today that it was Louis Bernard, Democratic boss of Cincinnati, who had made the offer to him.

Judge Winters said the day before the Elson bill passed Bernard and John Murphy, the latter connected with the Cincinnati & Suburban Bell Telephone company, has discussed with him his, Winter's, political aspirations.

At that time the secretary of state's office was mentioned, and Bernard intimated that he would be in position to help Winters land the nomination for the office.

The next day, when the Elson bill was up for passage, Winters was told there was a long-distance call for him in the smoking-room. Bernard and Murphy were there, and they urged him to withdraw his opposition to the bill and vote for it.

Bernard declared, Winters testified, that they were in position to help Winters get anything he wanted if he voted right. Winters voted against the bill.

Winters said Bernard didn't specify what "anything he wanted" meant.

Dines with Garber.

Winters said that he had a talk on the Elson bill at a dinner in the Virginia hotel and that Harvey Garber was there by invitation of Attorneys Dunbar and Reynolds, who had invited both Garber and Winters. He could not remember that Garber had ever asked him to vote for the Elson bill.

Louis Bernard had told him that while he was not personally interested in the passage of the bill, certain good friends of his, Bernard's, were.

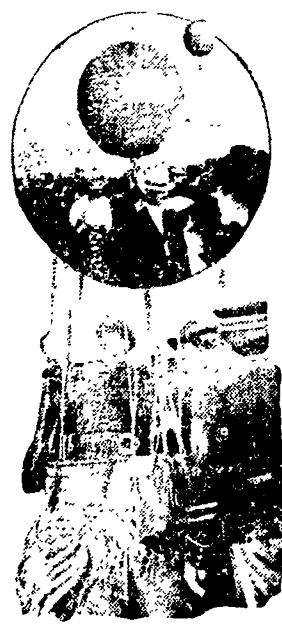
C. C. Lyon, manager of the Scripps-McRae legilative bureau, told of obtaining the interview from Winters which the latter finally put into his own handwriting and submitted the manuscript.

Lyon testified that Winters told him that he had been called to a prominent office building to meet Harvey Garber and two attorneys, where he had been solicited to vote for the bill.

Representative Pears has been summoned to appear before the committee at 7:30 tonight.

THE POMMERN

German Balloon In Which Three Aeronauts Met Fate.



MAD MULLAH IS ON THE RAMPAGE

Twelve Hundred Tribesmen Friendly to Sultanates

ARE ALREADY SLAIN BY HIS FOLLOWERS

Sends a Threatening Message to Italian Force.

Tells Officers in Charge of King Victor Emmanuel's Forces in the Field That He Intends To Clear Italian Somaliland of Europeans So Soon as He Has Driven Them Out of British Somaliland.

London, April 4.—Today's news from British Somaliland of a fresh outbreak on the part of Mohammed Abdullah, or "Mad Mullah," is giving critics of the government's colonial policy the best inning they have had in a long time. Only a few days ago the official announcement was made that the English government had decided to evacuate British Somaliland, retaining only a few coast towns which can be cheaply garrisoned against the "Mad Mullah's" attacks.

Immediately, the cry was raised that the evacuation amounted to a victory for the Mad Mullah over British arms and the prediction was made that the announcement would result in an immediate resumption of hostilities by Abdullah.

Whether the present rampage of the Mad Mullah in which he has slain nearly 1,200 of the tribesmen friendly to Sultanates, will result in England sending another expedition against him, has not yet been decided.

Having, as he reckons, driven the English out of his country, Abdullah has sent intimations to officers in charge of King Victor Emmanuel's forces in the field that he intends to turn his attention next to clearing Italian Somaliland of Europeans. No doubt is felt here that the ruler means just what he says, and there is keen apprehension that the evacuation of the British sphere of influence marks the beginning of grave trouble for the Italian colony.

To fix a loose knife handle to the blade, fill the hole in the handle two-thirds full of mixed rosin and brick dust. Then heat the shaft of the knife and while hot press into place. Hold it there until quite firmly set.

GRAFTING WILL BE DANGEROUS

Attorney General Denman Prepares a Measure

WHICH RIDDLE WILL INTRODUCE

State Officials Empowered To Buy Any Supplies

Will Be Placed Under a Bond of $10,000 To Audit Bills for All Supplies Bought for Their Departments—Boy Is Accidentally Shot in Cincinnati—W. Aubrey Thomas To Have Opposition.

Columbus, O., April 7.—Attorney General Denman's bill to prevent state officials from grafting money out of the state treasury on false vouchers was submitted to Representative Riddle for introduction. The bill places all state officials empowered to buy supplies for their departments or institutions under $10.000 bond each to require them to audit all bills for supplies and to make an invoice of all purchases delivered. Failure to comply means a fine of $1,000 and imprisonment in the penitentiary from one to five years.

Boy Accidentally Shot.

Cincinnati, O., April 7.—Harry Fagin, son of Former United States Marshal Fagin, was shot and killed in an office in the Palace Hotel building. Bernard Niehause, a stenographer, did the shooting. It was accidental, as the boy did not know the pistol was loaded.

Thomas Has Opposition.

Akron, O., April 7.—Friends of Judge R. M. Wanamaker are urging him to be a candidate for congress against W. Aubrey Thomas, and Wanamaker, who has been an insurgent of insurgents, is in a receptive mood, refusing, however, to make any positive statement now.

Cole Fixing His Fences.

Findlay, O., April 7.—Congressman Cole reached here from Washington. He will remain in the Eighth district until after the May primaries. Friends of Mr. Cole seem to think that he will secure his fourth nomination easier than any previous one.

Burned in Gas Explosion.

Newark, O., April 7.—Mrs. B. G. Ashbrook, sister-in-law of Congressman Ashbrook, was badly burned in a gas stove explosion. Miss Minnie H. Ashbrook, a sister, was killed Tuesday on a train in Marshalltown, Ia. She was a school teacher.

Gore Announces Subject.

Columbus, O., April 7.—"Less Tariff, Less Taffy and Less Taft" will be the subject of the address to be delivered by Senator T. P. Gore of Oklahoma at the second annual banquet of the Jefferson club April 16, in Memorial hall, Columbus.

DENOUNCES INDIANA REPUBLICAN IDEAS

Representative Dalzell, of Pennsylvania, Defends Payne-Aldrich Bill.

DENOUNCES INDIANA

Washington, April 7.—"The Indiana platform is not Republican. No self-respecting Republican could vote for such a platform."

This was the vigorous comment of Representative Dalzell, Republican of Pennsylvania, on the Indiana Republican situation as developed at yesterday's convention.

"Senator Beveridge," the Pennsylvania representative continued, "has gotten himself into a fix by his position in the tariff matter, and now he is seeking to put everybody else in Indiana in the same situation. I don't see how any man who takes the position of Mr. Beveridge can claim to be a Republican. The Payne-Aldrich bill was passed by a Republican house and senate in accordance with pledges by the Republican party. If Senator Beveridge is right, a great many people voted at the last election for the wrong party.

"The Payne-Aldrich bill has justified itself, and any attempts to belittle it, to denounce it, are simply matters of cheap demagogy."

COURT OF INQUIRY REPORTS FINDINGS

Soldiers Implicated in Brownsville Affair Are Found Guilty.

Washington, April 7.—The military court of inquiry which has been investigating the Brownsville shooting affray, reported its conclusions to the secretary of war, Wednesday, finding that soldiers of the Twenty-Fifth infantry were guilty and sustaining the charges made by the mayor and citizens of Brownsville.

The court also finds that if the officers and men had performed their respective duties, the shooting affray could not have occurred. A majority of the court finds that fourteen of the enlisted men of the three discharged companies are eligible for re-enlistment.

SWOPE PARK AND THE PRINCIPALS IN KANSAS CITY'S FAMOUS MURDER TRIAL



K[illegible] [illegible] The trial of [illegible] of the murder [illegible] H. Swope, will [illegible] Hyde has been at [illegible] bail. The [illegible] [illegible]d before Judge R. S. [illegible] the representatives of [illegible] estate has engaged [illegible] dent that money could [illegible] Hyde with his wife's fortune has scouted [illegible] lawyers famous for their [illegible] promises to be one [illegible] sensational ever tried in [illegible] While Dr. Hyde will be tried for the murder of Colonel Swope, who was many times a millionaire and gave Swope park to this city, he has been accused of causing the death of Christian Swope and the serious illness of other members of the Swope family. Dr. Hyde was indicted by the grand jury for administering typhoid fever germs to Colonel Swope.

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TRANSFER OF PASSENGERS

Saves 900 Lives Threatened by Fire at Sea.

BRILLIANT FEAT OF SEAMANSHIP

Is Executed Today in English Channel.

Fire Breaking Out on the British Steamship, Cairnrona, the Passengers Are Transferred to the British Steamship, Kanawha, While the Sea Is Running High Without the Loss of a Single Life.

London, April 7.—In one of the most brilliant feats of seamanship on record, 900 passengers from the British steamship, Cairnrona, bound from London to Portland, Maine, were transferred from that ship, which caught fire today in the English channel, to the British steamship, Kanawha.

The transfer took place in mid-channel, while the sea was running heavy, and despite the panic of the Cairnrona's passengers, it was accomplished without a serious mishap.

Captain Stooks, of the Cairnrona, and Captain Kellman, of the Kanawha, who superintended the transfer, conducted the work with military precision, and to their brilliant generalship is due to the face that hundreds of the Cairnrona's passengers were not either burned on the vessel or crushed in the panic.

The crew of the Cairnrona, under orders from the captain, knocked down and severely injured those who led the first wild rush for the lifeboats, thereby instilling such fear into the others that it was possible to man and load the lifeboats with some semblance of order.

Many of the Cairnrona's passengers were on the point of jumping overboard in their terror and were either forcibly restrained by others or reassured by the megaphone messages of members of the crew that there would be no danger if order was preserved.

The Kanawha was but a short distance from the Cairnrona when the flames were discovered and she immediately put to the disabled steamer's assistance.

After the last of the passengers were safely aboard the Kanawha, the fire aboard the Cairnrona was gotten under control so that the vessel was able to put back to Dover. The Cairnrona belonged to the Cairn line and was of 3,960 tonnage.

PICKED UP IN THE NIAGARA RIVER TODAY

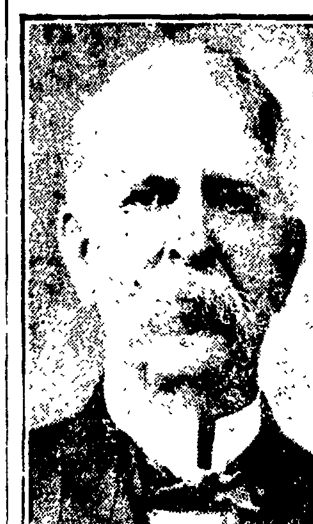
Are the Bodies of Two Men in Ice Throughout Winter.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 7.—After being held in Lake Erie ice throughout the winter, the bodies of First Mate John McLeod of Conneaut, Ohio, master of the car ferry, Pere Marquette, and George N McAuley, Buffalo, fireman of the Anchor Line steamer, Clarion, have been picked up in the Niagara river. Both bodies were in life preservers.

The Clarion burned off Point Pelee December 8 last when thirteen of her crew perished. The Pere Marquette foundered in a storm off Ashtabula, Ohio, the following day and thirty-two passengers and crew were drowned.

CYRUS B. WINTERS

Democratic Floor Leader of House of Representatives.



FOREVER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

By William T. Ellis.

Terse Comments Upon the Christian Endeavor Topic for April 10, "God Is Here." Psalms 139:1-12.

"God is nowhere," wrote the infidel in scorn; "God is now here," read his little child, stumbling into the truth. A new sense of the reality of God, and His present movings in the world, seems to be coming over mankind. The only key to present developments in contemporaneous history is this fact of God. Because He is on the field, directing and controlling, our day is luminous with new light and life. Even the thoughtless can scarcely escape seeing that present history is just His story.

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Cheer and courage and inspiration are in the thought that He whom we serve knows our feeblest endeavor. He not only sees every deed we do and every word we speak in the name of love, but every holy aspiration, every yearning for usefulness, every Christlike desire, is also known to his loving heart.

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The secret of faith, the secret of endurance, the secret of success in the Christian life, is "seeing Him who is invisible." The apostle was not merely using a beautiful descriptive phrase when he said, "Looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith," but he was stating a stupendous and a living truth We get all our faith by keeping the eye stances or experiences may be Has firmly fixed upon Him in whom faith has its beginning and end. Would you trust more? Then look at Jesus more

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Christ himself was crucified, but all the powers of Jewry and Rome could not crucify His influence That will go on in ever-growing and never-ending power so long as earth or heaven endures. In like manner does the influence of every life extend, no matter what its circum- your life seemed a failure? Is its end a cross? Wait: some hundreds or thousands of years must pass away before its influence can be measured. Not until then can its success or failure be judged.

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There is One whom we cannot see and whom we can not understand, whose sacred office it is to reveal Christ to the world. The Holy Spirit alone makes communion possible. By him we are drawn near to the Saviour whom our hearts love; our fellowship with Christ is a fellowship in the Spirit.

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Jesus was a revolutionist He came to upset the old order of affairs and to make all things new. Former standards of life and justice He has overturned. He is still at work fulfilling his mission of making a new world, filled with new men and women.

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God was a provincial God to the world into which Christ came. The Jew had no idea that God's love could extend beyond Jewry. To him Jehovah was only a national deity. But Jesus brought to the earth the truth that God's love embraces all His children everywhere. The mission of our Master was to bear the gospel to all the world In Him was manifested the largeness of the love of God.

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The aim of all ages has been to know about God. The universal craving is for the unseen That craving the Bible meets It tells all we need to know about God in order to please Him, to serve Him, to live with Him, and to be like Him.

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If God be the God whom the great mass of humanity has by common consent declared Him to be, then He is too great to have any bounds set to His character or power. Grant Him omnipotence, and we must also grant Him omnipresence If He, being such as He is, is anywhere, He must be everywhere.

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Because God is everywhere—a token of His sovereignty—He is very near to each one of us,—a token of His fatherhood.

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An obedient child delights in the presence of its parents; a disobedient child dreads it. What we think of the omnipresence of God is largely determined by what our moral attitude toward Him has been

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This material world would be a better world if it were more conscious of the vital verities of the unseen world.

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Just as really as Christ was with Peter in the boat, just as Christ sat with John at the table, so really can I have Christ with me.—Andrew Murray

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Before you pray to Christ, think of Him as He was some time on earth, healing Bartimaeus, for example, or talking in the Bethany home, or walking on the seas; then remember that just as He was then, He is now with you in your room —A. R. Wells.

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Christ departed from earth and the Holy Spirit came so that we could think of God not as merely in Palestine, but also in London, New York and Chicago —Amos R Wells.

The silk prospect is bright, and bright-colored costumes are predicted for the summer resorts.

COLONEL ROOSEVELT LOOKING FOR HIS WIFE, KERMIT AND HIS BEARD AND LAST PICTURES OF AFRICAN HUNT.



New York, April 6.—While Kermit Roosevelt has lost his beard—the beard he grew during a year in the jungle—Colonel Roosevelt, according to cablegrams, has nothing to show in a physical way of his long hunt but hardened muscles and a deep tan The first photographs of Colonel Roosevelt's farewell to his faithful native hunters of Africa have just arrived in this country. One of the most striking pictures shows the colonel leaning over the side of his boat as it floated down the Nile, anxious to catch a glimpse of his wife who he though was waiting at the dock to see him.

BILLY SMITH IN THE GAME

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Degenhart said that he believed house members had allied with Murphy to get the adjournment while he was detained in the lobby

Scripps-McRae Interest Strong.

C. C Lyon, the Scripps-McRae man who got the original interview with Representative Winters, told again of that interview and that Winters had told of telling a friend of offers made to him and that he could have had $1,000 or $2,000 to support the bill.

Lyon said he asked Winters if he was offered stock or money for his vote and Winters had replied "yes, both"

Representative Brenner admitted he had talked with Degenhart the Thursday afternoon following the passage of the bill and asked him not to make the motion to reconsider He had also urged Bowers, who did not vote on the first call, to vote for the bill He said that Simon Cronin, in charge of the Bell Telephone service in the house had also urged Bowers and had been flitting from one member to another on the floor urging them to vote for the bill

Lucas J Beecher, of the Toledo Blade, said that Elson had told him that he owned telephone stock Elson himself testified yesterday morning that he had no interest in any telephone company.

Speaker Mooney, and Representatives Bowers, Billingslea, Reed, Wyman, Schvegman, Stambaugh, Schaibley, Kempel and Meinhart testified that they knew nothing of any improper influence brought to bear to pass the bill.

Admits the Story.

Representative Howard W Pears, of Lima, on the stand before the legislative bribery probe committee, admitted he had told of having been offered $100 or more to vote for the Elson bill, reiterated that the offer had been made to him, and then refused absolutely to tell the name of the man who made the offer

Attorney John J. Sullivan pleaded with Pears to give the name for the sake of the good reputation of the house and of himself Chairman Langdon added his entreaties, while every member and attache of the house, who could in any way crowd into the room, hung breathless on the result. The penalty of from $100 to $5,000 for refusal to testify was read to the member from Lima, but still he refused to give the name.

Pears said it was not either threat or fear that made him hesitate, but that his attorney had advised him that he could not make out a case and that he should not give the name Finally, Sullivan said "Do you want time to consult with some one?"

"Yes, I am going to give it," Pears replied. He said that he would return this afternoon and the committee at once adjourned

When Offer Is Made.

Pears said that the offer was made to him in the corridor just outside the house as he was starting out to dinner. The man hailed him and the [illegible] did not last a minute Pears said the man was one whom he had known for about five years, the length of time Pears has been a member The man is not a member nor an em[illegible] of either house, Pears says, [illegible] that he does not know where [illegible] man lives.

Pears admitted that the testimony of Ral[illegible] Blonde and Representatives W[illegible] and Huber as to what he had [illegible] them was true He de-manded [illegible]ously "Why don't you call a [illegible] other members that know [illegible] those things?"

Pears [illegible] principal of the Lima [illegible]llege and in the real estate [illegible] there He told of the interview with Ralph Le Blonde at Lima [illegible] and that his partner and an em[illegible] of the office were in an adjoining room He offered [illegible] statement [illegible] Le Blonde, which he had signed [illegible] testimony, handing the committee [illegible] marked copy of the Columbus [illegible]en

[illegible] Names Akron Man.

Th[illegible] [illegible]noon Representative Pears [illegible] the legislative bribe probe [illegible]ttee that he had been offered [illegible] to vote for the Elson telephone [illegible] merger bill by Simon Cronin [illegible] Akron, an employe of the Bell [illegible] phone company Cronin has [illegible] the booths in the smoke [illegible] of the house of representatives.

Rep[illegible] [illegible]tive Pears at first declined [illegible] the name of the man who [illegible] him the bribe, declaring that [illegible] investigation would be a farce [illegible] whitewash After being read [illegible] [illegible]utes covering penalties for fail[illegible] to testify Pears consulted counsel [illegible] returned to the stand to tell [illegible]

Cron[illegible] [illegible]e out the following statement [illegible] afternoon

"I [illegible] [illegible]ered Pears or any other man a [illegible] vote for the Elson bill I am [illegible] appear before the committee [illegible] time."

[illegible]dy To Pay Back.

Colu[illegible] O, April 7. [illegible] Lentz, [illegible] first deputy state fire marshal [illegible]itted before the [illegible] investigating committee last [illegible] that he [illegible] June 1, 1909, and [illegible] nary la[illegible] he moved to Columbus, he [illegible] charged up to the $150 [illegible] railroad fare, and dinner [illegible] for service between Columbus [illegible] his home in St Clairsville; $1[illegible]0 for his meals in Columbus, [illegible] $5.81 for a trip to Lloydsville to visit his wife and father He told the committee he was now ready to pay this money back to the state if there was an agreement as to the amount which he illegally charged.

State Fire Marshal John W Zuber told the committee that when he went into office he had asked the state auditor if he was entitled to charge the expense of his trips to his home to the state, and was told by that official that it had been the custom under the opinion of former Attorney General Sheets. When he learned of the opinion of Attorney General Denman that it was illegal, he had at once made restitution.

CHARLES F. NAGEL

Secretary of Commerce and Labor in Taft Cabinet.



FINE NEW LIVERY AND FEED STABLE

Is Opened by J. J. Hinamon on North Main Street.

J. J. Hinamon has opened up a new livery and feed stable in the property on north Main stret formerly occupied by Davis & Son. Thursday was Mr. Hinamon's first day in the business, which he expects to conduct in a modern and up-to-date manner.

Mr. Hinamon is a son of Mr. and Mrs. David Hinamon, of north Main stret, and is a young man of business ability

STENOGRAPHER FOUND DEAD IN HER ROOM

Complains to Her Landlady That She Has Headache.

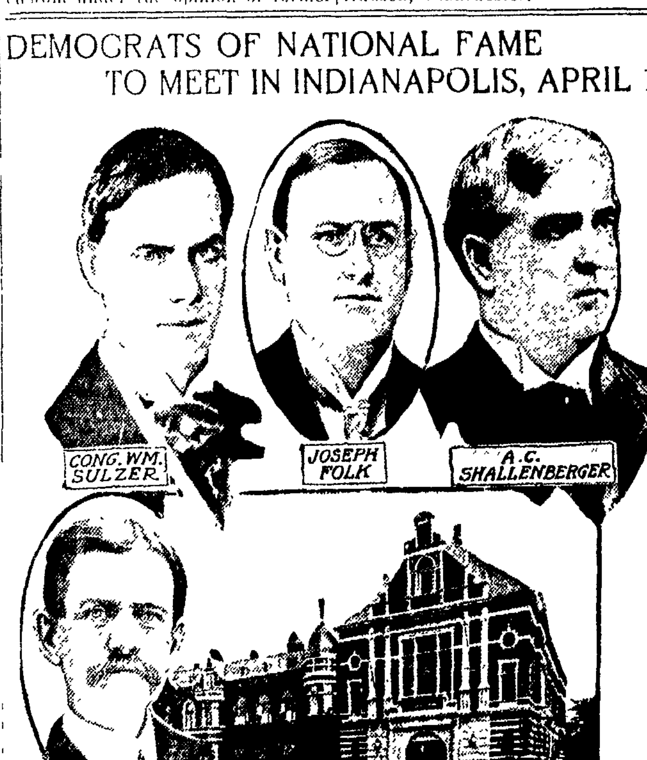
Mansfield, O., April 6 —Miss Edith Emerson, twenty-four, stenographer, was found lying dead in her room Tuesday afternoon by her landlady. She went to her room at noon complaining of slight headache. She came to Mansfield eight months ago from the village of Monroeville and had received attentions from young men, but had no callers during the week she had been at this rooming-place.

Coroner Maglott is investigating

Confirmed by Senate.

Washington, April 7 —The senate yesterday confirmed the following nominations. Ohio postmasters: William F Bevitt, Springfield; George H. Stewart, Zanesville; William R Taylor, Huron; L. E. Simes, Covington; Henry S. Mooney, Cardington; Joseph W. Poage, Shiloh; Charles W. Miller, Versailles; William M. Hadfield, Arcanum; George Hudson, Blanchester.

DEMOCRATS OF NATIONAL FAME TO MEET IN INDIANAPOLIS, APRIL 13



[illegible]olis, April 7 — While William Jennings Bryan will not attend [illegible] Jefferson banquet April 13 the leading Democrats from all [illegible] the United States will be present to discuss questions of na[illegible] importance The Republican leaders are waiting with interest to [illegible] the various speakers will have to say on national subjects Governor Marshall will speak on "Evolution and Departure from State [illegible]" Governor Shallenberger's topic will be "What Does the Democratic Party Stand For?" ex-Governor Folk will discuss "Progressive De[illegible]" ex-Governor and United States Senator James B. McCreary of [illegible] will dwell on "The Signs of the Times." Hon. William Sulzer [illegible] on "Jefferson as an Organizer." Hon James Hamilton Lewis on [illegible]tion's Foreign Policy. Hon Henderson S. Martin of Kansas on Central Bank Scheme. Hon Lafayette Pence on "The Income Tax [illegible]" and Hon John J Lentz on "Jefferson the Radical."

"CRAZY SOCIAL" AT GREEN CAMP CHURCH

Young Ladies Prepare for an Unique Event—Other Notes.

Green Camp, April 7.—[Special.]—Edgar Hogan, who is teaching school at Goshen, Ind., is spending his Spring vacation at home.

Mrs A. B. Hess of Cleveland, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McClelland.

Mr. and Mrs Charles McClung, of Marion, visited Mrs. John Gambril, Saturday and Sunday.

The young ladies' class of the F. B. church, are planning to give a "Crazy Social," April 16.

Albert Hinkle, who is teaching in the Ohio State university, at Columbus, spent last week with his parents, Mr and Mrs William Hinkle.

Miss Mary Fish was a Marion visitor over Sunday.

Harry Watts and C G. Ritzler were Greenwich visitors a few days, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Farren spent a few days at Columbus the first of the week.

Glenn Wisecarver is suffering from a severe attack of measles.

Mrs. Minnie Myers and daughter, LaVerne, visited Marion relatives Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs J. F. Wottring and the Misses Hulda and Otto Porter were Columbus visitors Saturday.

Mrs. H. E Porter entertained at dinner, last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Porter and Mr and Mrs. L. C. Porter and daughter, and Thomas O'Day.

Mrs. C. A. Finefrock and daughter, Doris, spent a few days this week with Prospect friends.

Miss Bertha Uncapher was home from Columbus a few days, last week, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs Charles Uncapher.

The Misses Effie McCleary and Hester Bogardus, of Marion, are the guests of relatives here this week.

Mrs. Bettie Miller, of Agosta, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Williams.

Mr. and Mrs James Pangborn and daughter, of Big Island, and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Mayfield and family, of Prospect, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. William Savidge, Sunday.

Misses Briggie and Evyline Moloney were Marion visitors this week.

Miss Gladys Wilson was the guest of Miss Hazel Flinchbaugh, Monday and Tuesday.

Thirty-Three Years Ago.

Thirty-three years Thursday, J. C. Markert entered in business in Marion and now enjoys the distinction of being one of the oldest merchants in the city still actively engaged in business. He is the proprietor of a queensware store on south Main street.

PIKE SALE.

The Pike Commissioners of the Shumaker Free Turnpike road will receive sealed bids at the County Surveyor's office, Marion, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, 16th day of April, 1910, for grading and macadamizing of said Free Turnpike road located in Scott township, Marion county, Ohio, according to specifications, plat profile and cross-section, which are on file and may be seen in the office of the County Surveyor.

Bids will be received for the road as an entirety. The successful bidder or bidders will be required to execute a contract and give a good bond, to the satisfaction of the Pike Commissioners for fifty per cent. of the estimated cost, conditioned for the faithful performance of the bid and contract, and said bond must not have less than two sureties, one of whom must be a resident of said Marion county.

Bidders must accompany their bid with one hundred dollars cash, or a certified check for that amount on some bank in said Marion county, which will be forfeited by the successful bidder or bidders in case he or they fails to enter into bond and contract within five (5) days from date of sale.

The Pike Commissioners reserve the right to award the contract to the best responsible bidder or reject any or all bids.

JACOB SPIECE,
N. B. BROOKS.
CHARLES CLUTTER,
wk-11-1 Pike Commissioners.

SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

The School Examiners of Marion county, Ohio, will meet for the examination of teachers at the Central school building, Saturday,

May 7th.
June 4th.

Boxwell Examination.

April 16.
May 14.

Examinations commence at 8:30 a. m. and no application will be received after 10 a. m. All examinations will be written and positively no private examinations will be granted. A fee of 50 cents will be charged on admission to the examination and each applicant will furnish an envelope, stamped and addressed to him or herself, in which a certificate or notice of failure will be forwarded. Applicants will be graded on a scale of 100. No certificate will be granted when the grade in any branch falls below 70. An average of 75 with a minimum of 70 secures a certificate for one year. 85 with a minimum of 80 and twelve months' experience secures a certificate for two years. 90 with a minimum of 85 and twenty-four months' experience secures a certificate for three years. 95 with a minimum of 90 and thirty-six months' experience secures a certificate for 5 years. An average of 98 with a minimum of 95 and sixty months' experience secures a certificate for 8 years.

Success in the school room will also be taken into consideration in determining the class of certificate.

R. B. Bell, Pres.
W. P. Moloney, Vice Pres.
S. W. Almendinger, clerk.

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ELLIS BARTHOLOMEW MUST GO TO PRISON

United States Court of Appeals Renders Its Decision

TURNS DOWN APPEAL OF THE PROMOTER

Bartholomew Is Convicted of Having obtained Money Fraudulently—He Passes Himself Off as the President of Bank Which Has No Existence in Fact

Following from Wednesday's Cleveland Leader will interest Marionites who are well acquainted with Ellis Bartholomew banker and an erstwhile promoter

The United States circuit court of appeals has affirmed the sentence of E. Bartholomew convicted nearly a year ago on a charge of using the mail with attempt to defraud and sentenced by Judge Tayler to eighteen months imprisonment Word received by United States District Attorney Day yesterday to the effect that the sentence was affirmed and that Bartholomew would be taken to the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth Kansas immediately

The case of Ellis Bartholomew attracted considerable attention at the time of his trial here especially among those interested in banks and banking methods He was convicted through the efforts of United States District Attorney Day and Assistant United States District Attorney Garry of having fraudulently obtained and cashed New York bank money orders by representing himself in his correspondence as being the president of a bank which did not exist He resided in Galion Ohio

When the case was taken to the United States circuit court of appeals Messrs Day and Garry argued the case for the prosecution before the court resulting in the affirmation of the sentence imposed by Judge Tayler

Bartholomew's conviction makes the thirtieth conviction on a federal charge obtained since last October by the United States district attorney's office in this district

THE APPRAISEMENT OF CITY PROPERTY

Will Not Be Completed by July 15 Says Appraiser

A member of the Marion board of city appraisers is authority for the statement that the work of appraising city property will not be completed by July 15 when the law says it shall be done

Our pay stops July 1 but we'll never get done by that time declared Thomas F Lucas in speaking of the work But we expect to finish it and do it right if it takes us all summer

The work of fixing the value of land has been completed and the appraisers are now busy trying to appraise all the buildings which is really the big job A Cleveland expert is assisting them

ROSEWOOD, GLENWOOD AND THEW-WILSON ADDITIONS

Together with Part of Shovelton Taken into School District

City Board of Education Meets for That Purpose at Office of Jacoby & Donithen Tuesday Evening—City Also May Annex It

Annexation of the Rosewood Glenwood and the Thew Wilson additions, together with a part of Shovelton was formally carried out at a special meeting of the board of education in the law office of Jacoby & Donithen, Tuesday evening People residing in the suburbs now admitted into the Marion school district had the same privileges of people within the district lines and for that reason it was decided several weeks ago to enlarge the school boundaries

Just how many school children will be eligible to enumeration as a result of the annexation of the new territory the school board members are not aware but they believe that the number will run somewhere into the hundreds

The probabilities are that the same territory taken in by the school board will also be annexed by the city before the taking of the United States census is begun April 15

NO DAMAGE IS DONE BY OLD JACK FROST

Says the Weather Observer and He Tells Why

Although the temperature was two degrees below freezing point Thursday morning Dr L H Raffensperger the government weather observer declares that no damage was done to fruit because of the strong winds Besides the strong winds said the doctor the sky was cloudy and there was a certain amount of dampness to prevent any damage being done

LEAVE THE CITY TO GET MARRIED

At Least That Is the Belief of the Bride's Mother

Miss Helen the young daughter of Mr and Mrs F W Smith of Blaine avenue is reported to have been united in marriage to Mr Steven Stevenson of this city at Sandusky Wednesday The young people left the city that morning with the intention of being married

She said she was going to be married said Mrs Smith the mother of the young woman when seen regarding the matter I suppose she merely wanted to do something out of the ordinary as there were no parental objections that I know of and they were both of age She said she would be married that afternoon at Sandusky when she left

Both young people are quite well known in this city

THE MARION COUNTY MEDICAL SOCIETY

Meets in Regular Session Tuesday Evening

The regular monthly meeting of the Marion County Medical society was held Tuesday evening in the library building Dr A Kharcid an interesting paper on fracture and dislocations and a general discussion followed It was decided at the meeting to enforce the resolution adopted by the various societies of the state not to use the name of physicians or surgeons of the society in the press in connection with trivial accidents Any member violating this rule is considered not to be in good standing in the society

The next meeting of the society will be held the first Tuesday in May

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MISSIONARY WORKERS

Will Assemble at Mt Gilead Early Next Week

THE PRESBYTERY TO MEET THERE ALSO

Missionary Societies of the Presbytery Will Assemble at the Baptist Church While the Presbytery Will Hold Its Sessions in the Presbyterian Church

The annual missionary meeting of the Marion Presbyterial societies will be held at Mt Gilead Tuesday and Wednesday April 12 and 13 when the stated spring meeting of the Marion Presbytery will also be held The sessions of the Presbyterial Missionary societies will be held in the Baptist church, while the Presbyterian church will be the scene of the various sessions of the presbytery

Marion delegates to the meeting of the presbyterial societies at the Baptist church are Mrs Carrie Gilberson Mrs W H Krause Mrs S I Barlow Mrs D I Sellers Mrs S I DeWolfe and Mrs W I Warner At Tuesday's session Mrs E S Jones a missionary located at Lodiana India will deliver an address and Mrs P I Dienlendeffer of Erie Pennsylvania will speak on the following day

All delegates are expected to send their names to Mrs W G Beebe at Mt Gilead

Rev George M Rourke and N L Arnold of this city will be the Marion representatives to the stated meeting the first session of which will be held next Monday

Rev J G Currey moderator will deliver a sermon and following the roll call the business of electing a new moderator will be taken up Monday's session will be concluded with the report of the committee on arrangements Tuesday and Wednesday's sessions will be devoted to the various matters of business to come up before the presbytery

It is expected that the attendance from all over the presbytery will be large

IS NOW AN INMATE OF INSANE ASYLUM

Is Riley Strouse of Denmark, Who Was Supposedly Cured

Riley Strouse of Denmark who was overcome by excitement while attend the funeral of Eliza Gruber brother of Mayor Thomas Gruber of Caledonia last week is now an inmate of the state asylum for the insane at Columbus

Strouse lost his mind some time ago and was taken to the asylum He was pronounced cured and had been at home several months when his mind again became unbalanced as a result of excitement caused by attending the funeral of Mr Gruber

ALBERT OBORN IS A VICTIM OF PARALYSIS

Is Stricken at Country Home Saturday Morning

Albert Oborn residing south of the city suffered a stroke of paralysis Saturday Mr Oborn has been ill for some time and for the last week has been suffering of heart trouble Dr James A McMurray the attending physician states that his condition is very serious Mr Oborn is a brother of Roscoe Oborn of this city

WHEAT SHOWS GAIN OVER LAST SEASON

Although a Falling Off of Ten Per Cent This Year

REMARKABLE GROWTH DURING NOVEMBER

Well Protected by the Heavy Snows Throughout the Severe Weather Suffers Badly for Want of Moisture—Winter Barley and Rye Show Same Conditions

The following report compiled from returns received from the official crop and live stock correspondents of the department indicates the condition of wheat and other crops

Wheat—Condition compared with standard average eighty three per cent crop of 1909 still in producers hands sixteen per cent weeks of snow protection eight

Winter Barley Condition compared with standard average eighty eight per cent

Rye—Condition compared with standard average eighty eight per cent

Corn Condition in crib compared with standard average ninety five per cent remained unhusked during winter ten per cent damage to unhusked during winter twelve per cent damage to fodder during winter twenty two per cent

Fruit—Prospect compared with normal yield ninety per cent buds winter killed seven per cent

Average Ohio wheat yield per acre Southern section twelve bushel central section fourteen bushels northern section sixteen bushels state average fourteen bushels possible state average thirty bushels

How To Do It

The Big Four—Thorough drainage crop rotation fertilization and test of adaptable soil

Official correspondents of this department estimate the present condition of the growing wheat plant at eighty three per cent compared with a standard average This is a decline in condition of ten per cent since the issuance of the last report December 1 In comparison with condition on corresponding date last year it shows an advance of twenty one per cent Seeding generally was late and fear was expressed that an early winter would cause serious damage The plant however made remarkable growth during the month of November and went into winter in fine condition Throughout the severe weather it was well protected by a heavy covering of snow and while a few correspondents note damage by ice covering the fields after the disappearance of the snow its decline in condition is attributed chiefly to the extreme drouth prevailing during the past month The plant is suffering badly for want of moisture and warm rains during April would greatly improve its appearance Of the harvest of 1909 it is estimated that sixteen per cent of the crop remains in producers hands

Winter barley and rye show the same growing condition—eighty eight per cent compared with an average

The condition of corn in the crib is estimated at ninety five per cent compared with an average Ten per cent of the crop remained unhusked during the winter and it is estimated that this suffered damage to the extent of twelve per cent

Fruit prospects are excellent being estimated at ninety per cent compared with an average

Farm work generally is well advanced Many correspondents report oats seeding as nearing completion and corn plowing in progress

OFFICERS IN HUBER BLOCK AGAIN LEASED BY CITY

Contract for Another Year Entered into Tuesday

Meeting Held by Public Service Ranhauser His Clerk and Several Employes—Flourishing Business at the Reduction Plant

S R Rauhauser director of public service met with his clerk and several employes Tuesday afternoon and allowed the bills amounting to $2 085 05 more than half of this amount being for lighting expenses

The service director entered into a contract for the leasing of the present quarters for city offices on the fifth floor of the Huber building The lease is for a period of one year from April 1 at an annual rental of $ 20

The report of A Hunt superintendent of the garbage disposal plant for the month of March showed that 245 barrels of night soil 6 barrels of garbage four barrels of refuse four horses and two dogs were disposed of at the plant the collections for the month amounting to $6

The director of public safety held a meeting with his clerk Tuesday and allowed the bills of his department which amounted to $1 001 6

H S Money who was reappointed postmaster at Cardington by President Taft is now serving his third term His second term expired March 26

THE CONVENTION TO BE HELD IN MARION

To Select Nominee To Succeed Judge William F Scofield

The Democratic judicial committee of the Second subdivision of the Tenth common pleas district met in the parlors of Hotel Gottfried at Upper Sandusky Wednesday to select the date and place for holding the convention to nominate a successor to Judge W F Scofield of this city

The committee decided to meet in Marion Tuesday June 14

The manner of selecting delegates was left to the various committeemen in the district which is composed of Marion Crawford and Wyandot counties

William P Moloney of this city will be chairman Jacob K of Sycamore secretary and Sl of Nevada Gust C of Bucyrus at arms

The committeemen present were Homer I Johnson of Marion Williford of Bucyrus and W E of Upper Sandusky

MISS CORA HOFFMAN AND EDMOND GRAY

Are Married in the City of Bucyrus Sunday Evening

Miss Cora Hoffman of Bucyrus and Mr Edmond F Gray of this county were united in marriage at St Paul Lutheran parsonage at seven Sunday evening at 6 0 o'clock Both are popular young people They will make their home on a farm four miles south of this city

HOOVER IS FOUND COLD IN DEATH BY HIS WIFE

Details of the Taking Off of a Former Marionite

NOT KNOWN AT TIME OF HIS DEATH NOTICE

The Death of the Bridegroom of Only Four Days Results from Heart Trouble Caused It Is Supposed by an Attack of Rheumatism from Which He Suffered

Further details concerning the sudden death of Walter F Hoover formerly of this city at Detroit Tuesday disclose the fact that he was found dead in bed by his wife early Tuesday He had been suffering from rheumatism some time and since his marriage his young wife had nursed him Monday night he appeared to be improved when he and his wife retired Tuesday morning when Mrs Hoover awakened she found her husband cold in death After calling assistance she collapsed and a physician was called to attend her

The young man's death is believed to have been due to heart trouble superinduced by his attack of rheumatism

Mr Hoover was married to Miss Pauline Johnston of Detroit last Thursday by Rev Father Champion of Ecorse and left for a home in Detroit which the bridegroom had already prepared for his bride

The deceased is survived by his widow one brother William Hoover of Bucyrus and three sisters Mrs G C Mewhorter Mrs Frederick D Pogleson and Mrs F Foger of this city

The remains were brought to this city for interment in the Marion cemetery Funeral services were held at the home of Mrs C C Mewhorter, at Silver and Fender streets Friday afternoon

IS TAKEN TO THE COLUMBUS HOSPITAL

Mind of Miss Cortwright Unbalanced by Excessive Reading

Her mind unbalanced by excessive reading of misc literature Miss Grace Cortwright twenty years old daughter of W Cortwright of Prospect was declared insane in the probate court Tuesday and taken to the state hospital for the insane by Deputy Green

Doctors who examined her mental condition declare that her mental condition is due to her constant reading She read history ancient and modern and any book or magazine she could get She also absorbed a great deal of poetry and was able to recite many verses of it

Instructs Census Takers

District Census Supervisor Maxwell of Fremont instructed the census takers at a meeting held at the court house Tuesday informed them that the work they will be required to do when they begin their work April 15 As only enumerators present at the afternoon session Mr Maxwell held a meeting at the court house that night when he addressed them in regard to their duties

Send The Crosby Frisian Fur Company Rochester N Y eight good sized deacon skins or any color and have them made into elegant black fur gloves for men or women Cost less than nineteen dollars Get their illustrated catalog

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MRS. ROSENA WAHL IS FOUND DEAD IN BED

At Her Home on South Prospect Street Wednesday

DIES WHILE DAUGHTER IS PREPARING DINNER

A Neighbor Calls at the Wahl Home and Inquires After Mrs Wahl Who Has Been Ill—They Go to Her Room and Find Her as Stated Death Is Due to Paralysis

Mrs Rosena Wahl aged sixty three years wife of Rev George Wahl of No South Prospect street was found dead in bed by her daughter Miss Cora Wahl shortly before noon Wednesday She had died while her daughter was preparing dinner Death was due to paralysis

A neighbor went to the Wahl home and inquired of Miss Wahl who was in the kitchen concerning her mother's condition She is about the same said the daughter Won't you come in?

They walked into the bedroom and were shocked to find that Mrs Wahl was cold in death

Dr F W Mann was hastily summoned but he said she had been dead some time

Mrs Wahl was a native of Pittsburg her maiden name being Bender She moved to this city with her husband from Cleveland about four years ago She was married to Mr Wahl in 18 and is survived by her husband a German M E minister two daughters Miss Lulu Wahl of Cleveland and Miss Cora Wahl of this city and one brother August Bender of Cleveland

Funeral services were held at the German M E church at Church and Prospect streets Friday morning at 10 o'clock Rev C F Luettle officiating Short services were held at the house at 9 o'clock

The remains were shipped to Cleveland for interment

A BUSINESS HOUSE HAS CHANGED HANDS

Store of Robert Storace Has Been Sold to Z F Gunder

After being in the confectionery business at No East Center street for the past eleven years Robert Storace has sold out to Z F Gunder who is now in possession of the place

Mr Storace disposed of the business on account of his health and to devote his attention to his wholesale banana business He will continue to reside in Marion

Mr Gunder the new proprietor has had considerable experience in the business and his friends will be pleased to learn that he is again in business for himself

The Strayer Funeral

The funeral services over the remains of Daniel W Strayer were held at the late residence No South Greenwood street Wednesday at 2 o'clock and were largely attended Rev D H Bailey pastor of the Epworth M E church of which the deceased was a member, officiated Interment was made in the Marion cemetery

ANGRY DEMOCRAT APPEARS BEFORE COUNTY AUDITOR

Wants To Know Why His Name Is Omitted

From the List of Assessors Printed in the Star Tuesday—Shows Certificate of Election—Then Learned He Gets Certificate by Error

An angry Democrat appeared in the office of County Auditor Charles E Allen Wednesday and demanded that his name be placed forthwith among the list of assessors of ... township ... published in the Star ... He was highly ... and declared that he had ... Fish ... in a ... Republican ... displayed ...

... follow the law and qualify ... by ... Spradling ...

... An examination of the ... the office ... disclosed that ... had been elected ... Republican ...

... Auditor ... officially ... Charles ... candidate ... Tie ... eighty ... Richardson seventy five

Arm Is Fractured

O E Stump ... sustained a painful fracture of his right arm in an accident in the shops of the Marion Steam Shovel company Tuesday evening ... much improved

SIX YEAR OLD LAD RUN OVER BY AUTO

Fortunately the Youngster Escapes Injury

Clarence the six year old son of Mr and Mrs F E Dennis of Davids street was run down by an automobile driven by Dr J B Sawyer about 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon The driver of the machine was going at an ordinary speed but was on the wrong side of the street when the accident occurred An intervening bump kept the driver of the auto from turning out for the boy who ran from the walk directly in front of the machine

One of the wheels passed over the left leg of the auto and he sustained a large bump on his head besides being otherwise bruised and scratched The driver of the machine stopped and picked the boy up He was carried into the house and on examination it was found that he escaped serious injury

TEMPERATURE DROPS TO FORTY TWO DEGREES

Quarter of an Inch of Rain Falls During the Night

A quarter of an inch of rain fell Tuesday night according to Dr L H Raffensperger the government weather observer Wednesday the temperature was forty two degrees above zero

The majority of people wore overcoats on their way uptown Wednesday and the few straw hats that had made their appearance with the spring's pretty weather disappeared until the next warm spell

Many fruit trees are in blossom and a frost at this time would mean a great deal of damage

HOLDS FIRST MEETING IN NEW LODGE HALL

Canby Lodge No 51, Knights of Pythias Established

IN NEW QUARTERS IN THE BENNETT BUILDING

Mizpah Encampment No 50 I O O F, Holds an Interesting Meeting Tuesday Night—The Red Men Confer Second Degree—Daughters of America in Session—Notes

Canby Lodge No 51 Knights of Pythias held their first meeting in the new hall in the Bennett building Tuesday evening with a good attendance Three applications were received and arrangements were made to confer the first rank on a class next Tuesday night The date of the dance which was to have been given Thursday evening April 21 was changed to April 28

The second degree was conferred on a class of ten candidates at a largely attended meeting of the Red Men held Tuesday evening Following an interesting business session a social time was enjoyed Plans were discussed for a ladies social to be held in three weeks

The next regular meeting of the lodge will be held next Tuesday evening

At a fairly well attended meeting of the Daughters of America held Tuesday evening one candidate was initiated and one application balloted on Arrangements were made to hold a meeting Friday evening at the ... home at the corner of Dix and Wilson avenues to discuss some important business pertaining to the lodge

The next regular meeting will be held in two weeks

Mizpah Encampment No 50 I O O F met Tuesday evening and ... the Royal Purple degree on ... and elected one candidate for the Patriarchal degree ... was large and considerable business of importance was transacted

Marion Chapter ... met Tuesday night and conferred the past and most excellent ... degree ... candidate ... quite large and arrangements were made to confer the ... degree at the meeting next Tuesday ...

... transacted ... Eagles ...

The Home Court ... meeting Wednesday night in their new hall formerly occupied by Canby Lodge No 51 Knights of Pythias The attendance was large and ... enjoyed A number of applications for membership ... Arrangements were completed for a dance to be given ... night April 11

Resigns His Position

Mail M ... C M Rowley who ... contract for carrying the mail from the post office to the trains ... his position to ... Dickerson ... will receive bids ... until April 1 when the lowest bidder will be awarded the contract for hauling the mail to and from the trains

THE CARNIVAL OPENS AT ST. PAUL'S PARISH HOUSE

Opens Under Rather Unfavorable Conditions Tuesday Night

THE WEATHER PROVES VERY THREATENING

Has an Effect on the Attendance, but in No Way Diminishes the Interest Taken in the Entertainment by Those Present—Carnival Wednesday and Thursday Evenings

The carnival which was given three nights this week at the St Paul's Episcopal parish house by the various guilds of the church began under rather unfavorable conditions Tuesday evening the inclement weather making the attendance for the first night not as large as had been expected although there was a very good crowd

It was 7 o'clock before the festivities began and there was no lull in the merriment until late in the evening when every one there pronounced it a decided success

The assembly room of the parish-house was gaily decorated with flags and bunting and the various booths were regular floral bowers

The first place that attracted one's attention entering the room and turning to the left was the curio room Here were found all kinds of priceless heirlooms which have been loaned the St Agnes guild by a number of the citizens of the city Many are very old and have been in families for more than a century while others are souvenirs from foreign countries Some have very interesting histories which were explained by those in charge of this room

The Japanese Booth

Next the Japanese booth was visited Here cherry blossoms and poinsetta formed a latticework in front with Japanese draperies over head and to the rear This was an ideal tea room where patrons were waited on by Mrs Nellie Johnston Mrs R O Hopkins and Mrs H R Moore

The American booth where a chafing dish luncheon was served was presided over by Mrs Malcolm Jennings and Mrs Loyd DeGolley This was decorated prettily with flags and red and white flowers

Then came the circus one of the main attractions of amusement Before one reached the circus he found all the outside attractions of a real circus the red lemonade peanuts and candy Then apple blossoms and trimmings of crepe paper made an ideal candy booth which was presided over by the Misses Gorham and their assistants But the circus drew the crowd Behind its walls were found all kinds of amusing and unusual things and everything that goes with a genuine circus Those taking part in the circus which was under the management of Mr and Mrs Frank Gorham Mrs George Frank and Mrs M Q Chase were Mrs Minnie Rayl Miss Charlotte McMurray Miss Louise Frank Miss Helena Monser Miss Ruth McKinniss Miss Edith Chase Miss Rhea Mannell Miss Cuba Gunder Miss Helen Bain Miss Mildred Lippincott Miss Electa Brown Little Misses Gabler and Micken and Master George Flinn

The Living Pictures

The Living Pictures in charge of Miss Clara Ewalt were next visited and here the relatives and sweethearts of modern men were represented by a number of young people In one part of the room in which these pretty posings took place was erected a pedestal in front of which was a large gilt frame surrounded by electric lights Behind this frame the posings took place and are extremely pretty Those who did the posing were Miss Geraldine Hord Miss Mary Frye Miss Hope Fisher Miss Dorothy Stoltz Miss Maud Louise M Murray Miss Isabelle Phillip Mr Grant Sutliff Miss Kath Gorham Miss Fannie Culberson and Miss Evelyn Honebinger

Lastly but not least was the booth where fancy articles were sold It was presided over by Mrs R M Brown This booth was prettily draped in pink

TAPS ARE SOUNDED FOR CARL JUVENAL

Remains Laid to Rest Thursday D Company as Escort

The remains of Carl Juvenal, who died at Crawfordsville Indiana Monday were buried with military honors by the members of D company O N G Thursday afternoon Funeral services were held from the home of Mr and Mrs James F Cuthery of ... Center ... at 2 o'clock Rev Mr Smith of Urban officiating

Members of the company escorted the funeral party to the cemetery where taps were sounded by the company bugler The deceased having been a member of the Third regiment O N G the full military honors were paid

Hit by Chain

William Zwilling of Bender street was the victim of an accident while at work in the shops of the Marion Steam Shovel company Thursday about 9 o'clock While he was cutting a chain a piece struck him on the right arm above the elbow Surgical attention was necessary

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OLD RESIDENT DIES AT RICHWOOD HOME

Daniel Ream Would Have Been Ninety in July

IS FATHER OF MISS CORA REAM, WHO LIVES HERE

Mrs Bert G Maris Who Is Born and Raised Near Richwood Dies at Home in Indiana—Is Married at Windsor, Canada Last August Funeral Near Richwood—Notes

Richwood April 8 [Special] Daniel Ream, an aged resident of Richwood died at his home on Bomford street early Monday morning Had he lived until July he would have been ninety years old He had been ill for some time suffering of the diseases incident to old age, but up to within a short time before his death he was able to take short walks about his home He is survived by an aged wife one son Charles Ream of Columbus four daughters Mrs G F Green of Delaware Miss Cora Ream of Marion Mrs Austin Carey of Pharisburg and Miss Hattie Ream who lives at home He also leaves several children by a former marriage Funeral services were conducted from the late home Tuesday morning at 10 o clock, Rev Hattie D Crosley [illegible] Universalist minister of Kent officiating The remains were taken to Oakdale cemetery Marysville for interment

Mrs Frances Kinney visited her son Howard Kinney and family of Marion during the past week

Mrs Belle White has moved to her farm, northwest of Richwood Her son Ray White has moved to the farm of his grandfather the late Dr David R White west of Essex

Mr and Mrs J A Shipley Miss Anna Shipley Miss Mary Jones and Edward E Jones attended the funeral of the late Mrs Bert G Maris Sunday afternoon at the home of her parents Mr and Mrs John Cartmell west of Richwood The deceased was twenty two years old Death followed an operation in a hospital at South Bend Indiana where she resided The deceased was married last August in Windsor Canada Previous to her marriage Mrs Maris and her sister Miss Maude Cartmell conducted a millinery store in West Mansfield She was born and raised near Richwood and had many friends here Besides the parents the following brothers and sister survive Mrs William Hauk of Columbus Miss Maude Cartmell of West Mansfield, Thomas and Harry Cartmell of Chicago

Mrs Lucy Fisher has returned home from Indianapolis where she was called a few weeks ago by the illness of her daughter Miss Ethel Fisher Miss Fisher's condition is much improved

The census enumerators for Richwood village and the north and south precincts of Claiborne township are George Sidle, Fred Sidle and Rev N J Kinney They will begin their work April 15

R C Loveless and family moved last week to Delaware

Miss Bessie Baker spent Sunday and Monday with relatives in Columbus

Miss Hattie Ream was called to Delaware Wednesday by the dangerous illness of her sister Mrs G F Green who has been taking treatment in a Delaware hospital

The local Presbyterian church has elected the following delegates and alternates to represent the various departments of the church at the meeting of Marion Presbytery to be held in Mt Gilead next week Sunday school Donald McCombs Miss Myrtle Oliver Christian Endeavor society Miss Mary Jones Miss Harriet Fulton Ladies Missionary society Mrs S A McNeil Mrs C J King

Mr and Mrs F F Baldwin returned home Sunday night from Mt Clemens Michigan where the former had been taking treatment for two weeks They left Wednesday for Columbus for a stay of several days

Dr and Mrs C E Brool of Marysville were guests Sunday of the former's parents Mr and Mrs H J Brooks and Dr F F Brooks and family

Dr O J Mather and Miss Orrah Mather visited their sister Mrs J W Sifritt of Marion Sunday

Mr and Mrs D M Finney of Columbus spent Sunday and Monday with their parents Mrs W J Tanner and Mr and Mrs J D Cathcart [illegible]

Miss Rose Parker [illegible] a merry crowd of young people from Mansfield Bucyrus and Columbus Sunday at her home on south [illegible] street

Misses Stella Fisher and [illegible] Meddles spent Sunday with friends in Marion

Clair Martin and [illegible] students at Ohio State [illegible] Columbus were guests Sunday of the former's cousin Mr [illegible] phreys

Paul [illegible] Kentucky [illegible] Winter and family during the past week

Mr and Mrs Fred Walsh returned home Sunday from Marion where they were guests of the la[illegible]

[illegible]rents Dr and Mrs M B S[illegible]

Mrs S E Smith spent Tuesday with her son E D Smith and wife [illegible] Columbus

Mr and Mrs Carl Smith and children spent Sunday at Mrs Smith's parents at Green Camp

MISS CRIM GIVEN PLEASING SURPRISE

An Epworth League Is Organized in Village of Morral

Morral April 8 [Special]—A merry crowd of young people gave Miss Pearl Crim a delightful surprise Friday night in honor of her birthday Dainty refreshments were served and the evening pleasantly passed with games and music Miss Crim received several nice tokens of esteem and quite a number of beautiful postcards The following guests were present Misses Audrey Bolander Roma Welsh Mildred Washburn, Beulah Cottrell Hazel Cottrell Roxie Pryor Myrtle Pryor Hazel Schultz Pearl Crim and Ethel Crim and Messrs Clifford Pryor Abner Busler Carl Lewis Dwight Mahaffey Dwight Stouffer Harold Schultz William Baldwin and Bert Crim

Mrs Mary Stephenson of Big Rapids Michigan and Mrs Bert Shephard of south of town were guests of Mrs Irene Sobey Thursday

Mr and Mrs C W Ferguson and two daughters were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Frank McIntire southwest of town

W W Morral is transacting business in Spring Valley and other points in the southern part of Ohio

An Epworth league was organized Sunday night at the M E church The following are the officers elected Miss Roxie Pryor president Miss Marie Welsh first vice president Gladys Wilmuth second vice president Myrtle Pryor third vice president Gladys Hartman fourth vice president Hazel Schultz secretary Clifford Pryor treasurer Audrey Bolander organist Hazel Schultz assistant organist

Mrs W W Morral is spending the week with her parents Mr and Mrs J B Martin south of town

Mr and Mrs P M Swihart of two miles north of Morral are the parents of a son born Sunday

Master Ray Lewis of Upper Sandusky was the guest of his brother Carl Monday

Miss Zoe Barnthouse is visiting Mrs Bessie Lockwood at Hillsdale Michigan

J R Barnthouse has returned from an extended trip through the West

Mr and Mrs Samuel McWhirter and family of north of Marion were guests Sunday of Mr and Mrs George Drake

Mr and Mrs S M Stouffer and son Dwight were guests of Mr Carl McWhirter and sister Miss Susie in Marion Sunday

Miss Marjorie Seebach of Little Sandusky is spending the week at the home of Mr and Mrs O Washburn

Mrs Frank McIlwain of Cleveland is visiting her mother Mrs James Parker

Mrs C Hartman and Mrs Harry Hartman of Marion visited at the home of Mr and Mrs H A DeRolph last week

Mrs Leo Berry who has been seriously ill is slowly improving

Mrs Lizzie Rose was called to Marion City Monday by the serious illness of her sister

Miss Ora Rose of Columbus spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives here

[illegible] of Dayton and [illegible] Jolley of Kenwood were guests Friday of Dr and Mrs J W Jolley

Mrs C E Cottrell and daughter Miss Beulah Miss Eva Walterhouse Miss Mildred Washburn Miss Marie Welsh Mrs J W Jolley and Mrs Hazel Lupton were Marion visitors Saturday

Mr and Mrs J O Livingston and little son of Marion were guests of Mr and Mrs H C Martin Sunday and Monday

Mr and Mrs C J Schultz and daughter Miss Hazel and son Harold were guests at the home of [illegible] Schultz in Marion Sunday

FASHIONS AND FADS

A newcomer in the turn [illegible] line is tucked all over the lines running vertically and the [illegible] edge bound with linen [illegible] twisting [illegible] in evidence in the [illegible] sory

Sectional sleeves [illegible] sleeves in one the [illegible] and hint of [illegible] not of the spring [illegible] show which [illegible] broad brimm [illegible] with its [illegible] twist and [illegible]

[illegible]

TWO HIGHLY ESTEEMED YOUNG PEOPLE MARRY

Miss Sylvia Thew Becomes Wife of Bruce Baird

CALEDONIA IS LOOKING AFTER NEEDED REPAIRS

The Hand of Time Has Fallen in No Unmistakable Manner on the Town Hall—Two Carloads of Eggs Are Shipped to New York City for Cold Storage

Caledonia April [illegible]—[illegible] in regular [illegible] day evening and allowed bills amounting to $20 [illegible] A committee was appointed to [illegible] the condition of the fire [illegible] the town to ascertain [illegible] repairs are needed It was also instructed to see that all the [illegible] were filled [illegible] A committee was also appointed to see that all necessary repairs [illegible] roof and spouting of the town hall be made at once A large section of the spouting on the west side of the hall is down and considerable damage is being done to the side of the building

A grass fire [illegible] house three west of town last Wednesday evening John Herrod section foreman and his crew arrived in time to extinguish the blaze before much damage was done Only a small hole was burned in the building

The series of meetings held at the Universalist church the past two weeks were closed last Saturday evening The services were well attended and several conversions were made

Frank Jackson made a business trip to Cleveland last Saturday

Miss Helen Fommert and George Metzger were guests of relatives at Mansfield from Friday until Sunday

Mrs H M Hart was called to New Washington Monday by the illness of her sister Mrs A C Kibler

Mr and Mrs F Peters of Marion spent Friday with Dr and Mrs F B Kring

Earl Warwick of Cleveland is spending the week with relatives at this place

Miss Sylvia Thew and Bruce Baird left here last Wednesday for [illegible] where in the afternoon they were united in marriage by Rev John Long of that place They visited with relatives in Mansfield until Sunday when they returned to their home here They will be at home to their many friends on the Baird farm east of this place after April 8 Miss Thew is the eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs J W Thew who reside one mile south of this place She is a highly accomplished woman and graduate of the local High school She has met with marked success in her vocation of teaching and at the time of her marriage was teaching the Carberson school west of town Mr Baird is the son of William Baird and is a prosperous young farmer The young people were accompanied to [illegible] by Mr and Mrs Aubrey Thew and Mr and Mrs Otto Schlert

Mrs Mert Lee of Abley is spending the week with Misses Bertha and Gertrud Gray at the M E parsonage

Mrs Carl Derr returned to her home at Delaware [illegible]

[illegible] and Mrs Frank [illegible] northeast of Marion were guests of C A Hight and family Sunday

Mr Jim Mal[illegible] and children of Marion are spending the week with Mr [illegible] McNeal

Mr [illegible] [illegible] evening for [illegible] Marion [illegible]

Harry [illegible] at the home of his mother Mrs C J Kelly Sunday

John Fommert attended the funeral of Mrs J A William who was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the barn [illegible] her husband at Ashland [illegible] Sunday

Mr and Mrs William S[illegible] and children [illegible] and Walter [illegible] Sunday

Mr [illegible] and daughters [illegible] guests [illegible] Mr and Mrs C A Highly [illegible]

[illegible]

Mr W [illegible] Hartung [illegible]

[illegible] New York City [illegible]

W [illegible] and son [illegible] and Mrs [illegible] arrived here

Wednesday [illegible] will visit a few days [illegible] parents Mr and Mr[illegible] Hoyd [illegible] Mr and M[illegible] Ballinger of Bucyrus [illegible] the former mother her [illegible]

JAPANESE TEA TO BE GIVEN AT WALDO

Musical Service [illegible] Held Has Been Postponed

Waldo A[illegible] musical [illegible] the M E [illegible] held at [illegible] day evening is postponed [illegible] the same [illegible] count[illegible] Invitation [illegible] given for a [illegible] latest [illegible] Sunday April 16 by [illegible] Wells Mrs W [illegible] is [illegible] several genuine Ja[illegible] obtained during her [illegible] Orient

Andrew [illegible] moved from Marion to [illegible] in the west part of town

Mrs Mar[illegible] Hoberman were guests [illegible] Mrs W H Allen of Marion [illegible] D W Benedict Tuesday

Mrs Jo[illegible] of Marion [illegible] friends

John Bru[illegible] J R Werth[illegible] at New [illegible] C J Morris and [illegible] the horse [illegible]

Mrs N C[illegible] Marion friends [illegible] the guest of [illegible] Sunday

John Mo[illegible] a Columbus visitor Saturday

Mrs Fu[illegible] at Marion [illegible] visited friends [illegible]

W C [illegible] were Columbus [illegible] C J Morris [illegible] Thursday

Mrs Pild[illegible] [illegible] returned to her home [illegible] after a [illegible] week visit [illegible] friends here

Mrs K [illegible] of Marion is [illegible] Fort Wal[illegible]

Miss Dora [illegible] of Marion is spending the [illegible] with her grandparents here

Miss Ella [illegible] spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at Delaware

Mrs D W [illegible] and daughter [illegible] Des [illegible] were in Columbus [illegible] in the interest of their millinery business

Mrs John [illegible] and daughter [illegible] guests [illegible] Marion friends several days this week

Mr and Mrs [illegible] Michel and son Robert [illegible] guests of Ashley friends Sunday

M'ELVY HOME IS SCENE OF PLEASANT GATHERING

In Honor of Mr and Mrs W E Redding

SUNDAY SCHOOL IS IN FINE CONDITION

That Is the Report Received from Meeker—Five of Nine Classes Are Fully Organized and Remainder Partially So—Attendance Runs Up to 140 Which Is Record

Meeker April 8 —[Special]—The beautiful home of Mr and Mrs C H McElvy was the scene of a pleasant affair Tuesday evening when, in honor of her daughter Mrs W E Redding and her husband Mrs McElvy entertained a company of friends consisting of the members of the [illegible] of young ladies of which Mrs Redding was a member and the young men taught by Mrs McElvy with music games and social chat the hours were whiled away Dainty refreshments were served by [illegible] assisted by Misses Emma Day and Lavyle Hatfield Those who had the pleasure of being present [illegible] in the guests of honor were Mr and Mrs Mac Cookston and son Darrell Mr and Mrs Carl McElvy and son Emerson Mr and Mrs Harry Mishler and son Ralph Mr and Mrs Joseph Pfeiffer and [illegible] Mrs A Schultz and [illegible] Dee Mr and Mrs Herbert Ford Misses Alice Thomas Gayle Hight Mildred Gaffney Emma Day Mrs [illegible] Mason Grace Carnes [illegible] and Neda Grubb Mabel [illegible] Zelda and Zora [illegible] Smith and Carrie [illegible] Messrs Clifford Kinsler [illegible] and Bruce Scher [illegible] Williams Mac Metz Glen [illegible] and Vernon Rushon [illegible] Gordon Chambers [illegible] and Howard Sprague [illegible] Mr W J Mason and Myrtle and J J Marion [illegible] with Mr and Mrs C [illegible] near Kenton

[illegible] on Parish and daughter and Miss Zora [illegible] were [illegible] Mr and Mrs Herbert [illegible] Friday

[illegible] Mrs Howard Arden [illegible] Wiley and Mr and [illegible] McIntire were Marion [illegible] Sunday

[illegible] Hollis and family moved to [illegible] farm [illegible] of the village

[illegible] Clyde Hollins [illegible] Clarence and [illegible] were guests of Mr and [illegible] Spangler Sunday

Mr Frank M[illegible] [illegible] farm north [illegible] Tuesday

[illegible] David Kn[illegible] [illegible] guests of Mr and Mrs [illegible] and Mr and Mrs John [illegible] Sunday

[illegible] Mrs Herbert Ford and Mrs J C [illegible] and [illegible] were guests of Mr and

Mr [illegible] J Ford south of LaRue Sunday

[illegible] S Moon returned to Marion Wednesday after spending a few days with relatives here

Carl and Clara Kern of Morral, were guests of their sister, Mrs Harry Strange Sunday

Mrs Jennie Rh[illegible] and daughter Ilene of Columbus were guests at the Martin Arden home a few days this week

William Sn[illegible] has returned from a few weeks visit with friends at Ashland [illegible] and Agosta

Charles Williams Freeman Russler Mr Marion Ru[illegible] and daughter [illegible] of Agosta and Mrs Ellen Johns [illegible] Green Camp were guests at [illegible] home [illegible] Mr and Mrs [illegible] Schultz Sunday

Dinnie Stewart [illegible] his home north of town

Mr and Mrs Vernon Kinkler visited with Mr and Mrs Pearl Baker and Mr and Mrs [illegible] Kenton

Mr and Mrs [illegible] and daughter Opal were guests of Mr and Mrs William Schultz Sunday

Mr and Mrs Ira Anderson moved to the Howard Arden farm north west of town Friday

William M[illegible] made a business trip to Upper Sandusky Monday

Mrs Elizabeth Riz[illegible] returned to the home southwest of LaRue Sunday having spent the past week at the home of her daughter Mrs R J Doron

Mr and Mrs John Hecker and daughter Ruthella were LaRue visitors Saturday

Mr and Mrs Mac Cookston and son Donald [illegible] Mr [illegible] Metz and son Haskell were guests of Mr and Mrs Thomas Moon [illegible] Marion Sunday

Miss Hulda Fumi of Morral was the guest of Mrs W J Metz Sunday

Mr and Mrs N J Holmes and family have returned to [illegible] after a few months spent in southern California and are enroute to Battle Creek Michigan where they will reside

Mrs J A Thommison and Miss Cleo Roberts of LaRue were guests at the Ferris Day home Friday

Ezra Coons and mother visited with Mr and Mrs Alonzo [illegible] Sunday

Quarterly reports from the various teachers of the M E Sunday school Sunday morning showed a very prosperous condition [illegible] by growth along all lines Five of the nine classes are fully organized and others partly so The attendance runs from 100 to 140 the largest for years

SOCIAL ACTIVITY OVER AT AGOSTA

Those Who Aren't Visiting Are Engaged Entertaining

Agosta April 8 —[Special]—Mr and Mrs J K Shinn and grandson William Cress of Ashland spent Sunday at the E J Horton home

Mr and Mrs A N Tongue and son Donald of Marion were the guests of Mr and Mrs [illegible] Tongue Sunday

Misses Edna and Nina Dutton were calling on Marion friends Saturday

Mr and Mrs E T Hederly and children Marie and Doris of Center Point Iowa were the guests of Mr and Mrs Harry Greeley [illegible] north of town a few days last week

Mrs David Sousley and children of Galion were the guests of relatives from Wednesday till Saturday

Mrs Myrtle Davis was a Marion visitor Saturday

Miss Lillie White of near LaRue was the guest of her parents Mr and Mrs Thomas White of north of town a few days last week

Willis Berger and family of Marion spent a few days last week with Mr and Mrs J Smith

E D Horton was a business visitor in Marion Monday

R E Pretsman and H W Tobias were business visitors in Pittsburg from Sunday till Wednesday

Carl O[illegible]shiner of Marion is spending his week with Ellsworth Carey

N Harden of Marion was a business visitor here Tuesday

Wilson Black of Marion is the guest of his brother Edwin Black of south of town

Mr and Mrs J J Crim returned home Saturday after a [illegible] stay in Erie Pennsylvania

Mrs Jacob Eads has returned to her home north of Marion after an extended visit with her [illegible] Mrs Harry Snyder

Edward Cooper spent Sunday in Marion

AUTOMOBILE IS NOT DISPLACING HORSE

Increase in Horse Population of 200 Per Cent in Ten Years

According [illegible] there were 13,000,000 horses in [illegible] States in January 1 1900 and [illegible] January 1 1910 an increase of [illegible] per cent [illegible] the average value [illegible] in 1900 was $[illegible] but in 1910 [illegible] increase in value [illegible] worth [illegible] United States [illegible] in 1910 [illegible] it was [illegible] an increase in the value of the horse population of the country in [illegible] per cent

EMBROIDERY CLUB AT LA RUE ENTERTAINED

Mrs J K Peters Is Hostess of the Afternoon

A MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER IS GIVEN

By Miss Spray Riley and Miss Zora Harder to Mr and Mrs Stanley Tilton—Delaware District Conference Is To Meet at LaRue Next Week

LaRue April 8 —[Special]—Mrs J K Peters very pleasantly entertained the members of the Embroidery club and several guests at her home on Chestnut street Friday afternoon of last week The afternoon was passed in needlework The hostess served dainty refreshment The guests were Mrs C J Stahl Mrs W J Smiley Mrs Lloyd Ferry Mrs A J Marsh Mrs C H Topliff Mrs S M Hesser Mrs John Thombs and Miss Caroline Schott

J C Copeland William Drake and Miss Ethel Marmon attended the funeral of J H Kemper at Mt Victory Tuesday

J H Raub A W Jones J S Cuthery and J A Slauser were business visitors at Lima Wednesday

The annual conference of the Delaware district Methodist Episcopal church will be held at the Methodist church of this place Monday and Tuesday April 11 and 12

Mr and Mrs C N Myers have been guests of relatives in Marion the past week

The delegates from the various Sunday schools of this place who attended the convention held in Marion this week were Miss Bess Mills and Miss Neva Johnson Baptist Miss Lester Lindsabe and Miss Edith Marsh Methodist and Miss Caroline Schotte Presbyterian

Mrs John Alt was a Marion visitor Wednesday

H W Myers returned home last Saturday from Florida where he spent the winter

Rev J H Osborn closed his pastorate with the Baptist church at this place April 1 He has not decided on his future plans but will reside here for the present

M J Clark resumed his duties April 1 as rural mail carrier on route No 1 after a leave of absence of several months on account of sickness His route was filled by his son Earnest

Mr and Mrs Don Shirr of Columbus have been the guests of the former's parents Dr and Mrs William Shirr the past week

Mrs Melvin Bailey of Marion has been the guest of her parents Mr and Mrs J L Johnson north of LaRue the past week

Mrs J A Slauser who has been seriously ill for the past several months was taken to Marion Sunday where she is taking medical treatment

Mrs S Bader and son of Pittsburg are guests of Mr and Mrs W J Clark of Walnut street

Mr and Mrs Kay Sager and son of Galion have been the guests of relatives in LaRue the past week

Misses Mildred and Bernice Holverstott of Marion were guests of Mr and Mrs Frank Groen of this place from Saturday until Monday

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs J H Lingo Wednesday afternoon An interesting program was observed Roll call responses were from Harriet Beecher Stowe The subject for the afternoon was The Citizen Devotionals were led by Mrs P Kilbourne Mrs J C Witman's paper on Booker T Washington was very interesting Home Life Among Colored People was given by Mrs W J Lee A Fine Chronicle was a reading by Mrs J F Dodd Some time was spent in discussing the various papers read The next meeting of the society will be at the home of Mrs A J Marsh Wednesday afternoon May 4

Rev F A Sutton was called to Nevada Thursday to preach the funeral of W J Chatter

Austin Shirr of the Ohio State university is spending his spring vacation with his parents of this place

Misses Spray Riley and Zora Harder gave a miscellaneous shower to Mr and Mrs Stanley Tilton at the home of Miss Riley on High street Friday evening of last week Many useful presents were bestowed The evening was enjoyed with music and social chat Refreshments were served during the evening About thirty relatives and friends were present

Mrs Frank Hard and son Ross have been the guests of Mr and Mrs J H Hard west of LaRue the past week

Mr and Mrs J W Campbell and children visited relatives near Morral Sunday

Mr and Mrs C J Stahl and daughter [illegible] and Mrs W J Clark [illegible] Marjorie were Marion visitors Sunday

Mr A [illegible] Quincy were guests [illegible] the past week

Mr K [illegible] Bel[illegible] has been ill the past [illegible] weeks [illegible] slowly improving

Mr [illegible] Marmon [illegible] to Marion [illegible]

father J H Kemper

Mr and Mrs William Thomasson returned home Thursday from an extended visit with their daughter Mrs M McCormick and family of Stanton Kentucky

Miss Grace Baldwin a teacher in the public schools of Marion, spent her spring vacation with her mother of this place

J A Henkle and daughters Mrs J J Mayes and Miss Loa Thomas of Marion visited relatives here Thursday of last week

A son was born Tuesday morning to Mr and Mrs Don H Clements, of near DeCliff

Charles Bell of Columbus was the guest of his father of this place from Sunday until Tuesday

OBITUARY

The funeral services of the late Mrs Walter M Haynes was held at [illegible] o clock Monday afternoon in the home on west Arch street They were conducted by Rev S A Stewart, of the Presbyterian church assisted by Rev Loren M Edwards of the M E church

Mrs Haynes before her marriage was Miss Elizabeth A Moore of Marion Ohio and was born March 2[illegible] 185[illegible] Her life until her marriage was spent in Marion Ohio with the exception of about one year which she spent in Liber college to which she had been drawn by the fame and acquaintance of the president of that institution Here she met Walter M Haynes to whom she was married October 10 1877 who survives her with one daughter Mrs Eugene Starbuck of Kokomo Indiana She is also survived by one sister Mrs [illegible] W Schrote of Marion Ohio and her aged parents Mr and Mrs W [illegible] Moore also of Marion

Coming as a bride to the new home on the corner of Arch and Pleasant streets her entire married life was spent there The present home was of her planning and its splendid interior arrangement shows forth her wisdom in arranging details Her home was her joy and her home life in which she had her place was in many ways ideal

As a neighbor she was loved by all None knew her but to love her none loved her but to praise, and her kind sympathetic manner she knew the right thing to do or say at the right time The fires of her religious life burned brightly Uniting with the M E church in Marion in early age throughout her entire life she was a most exemplary Christian Her faith was clear and expressed itself in her daily life Her bible was not only on her table, but it was daily read and never in her life did she neglect her daily devotions

Hers was a pure sweet life a life which was a positive force for good as all who knew her realized and her being called home is not only a loss to her immediate family but to the entire community

Mrs Haynes died at the Fletcher sanatorium at Indianapolis Indiana where she had been taken about [illegible] weeks before with the hope of recovery Nor was that hope lost until the 1st day of April, 1910 when she became worse and passed away peacefully at 8 0 p m of that day The next day she was taken home to Portland Indiana for the funeral and interment —Portland Commercial Review

LIVE STOCK AND GRAIN

CHICAGO—Cattle Beeves $5 65@8 [illegible] Texas steers $[illegible] 40 western steers [illegible] stockers and feeders $3 [illegible] cows and heifers $2 80@7 [illegible] Calves—$[illegible] Sheep and Lambs—Native sheep $[illegible] 90 western $[illegible] native lambs $7 50@9 20 western [illegible] yearlings $7 [illegible] Hogs—Light [illegible] 10 mixed $1[illegible] heavy $10 20@10 65 rough [illegible] pigs $9 [illegible] Wheat—[illegible] Corn—No [illegible] Oats—No [illegible]

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle Export [illegible] shipping steers $6 [illegible] butcher cattle $5 [illegible]@7 00 heifers [illegible] fat cows $3 50@6 00 bulls [illegible] milkers and springers $[illegible] calves—$[illegible] Sheep [illegible] Lambs clipped mixed sheep $6 [illegible] clipped wethers $7 [illegible]@7 50 [illegible] ewes $[illegible] lambs $8 00@9 [illegible] yearlings $[illegible]@8 00 Hogs [illegible] $11 [illegible]@10 90 medium [illegible] Yorkers $10 80@10 85 pigs [illegible] roughs $10 00@10 15 stags $[illegible]

PITTSBURG—Cattle Choice $8 [illegible] prime $[illegible]@8 00 tidy butchers [illegible] heifers $4 [illegible]@6 75 cows [illegible] bulls and stags $[illegible]@6 50 fresh cows [illegible] Calves—Veal $6 50@9 [illegible] Sheep and Lambs—Prime wethers $[illegible] good mixed $[illegible]@7 00 lambs $[illegible] Hogs—Prime heavy $11 [illegible] medium $11 [illegible] heavy Yorkers $11 [illegible] light Yorkers $10 [illegible]@11 00 pigs [illegible]

CLEVELAND—Cattle Choice steers $[illegible] 00@7 [illegible] heifers $[illegible]@6 00 fat cows $[illegible] bulls $[illegible] 00@6 25 milkers and springers $[illegible] 00@65 00 Calves [illegible] Sheep and Lambs—Mixed [illegible] ewes $6 [illegible]@6 50 [illegible] lambs $[illegible] 00@8 65 Hogs—Heavies $10 75 mediums $10 80 Yorkers [illegible] pigs $10 [illegible] mixed $10 [illegible] roughs $[illegible] stags $8 50

CINCINNATI—Wheat No 2 red $[illegible] Corn No [illegible] mixed [illegible] Oats No [illegible] mixed 43@43½c Rye—[illegible] Lard $14 10 Bulk Meats [illegible] Cattle—$[illegible] Hogs $[illegible] Lambs $6 00@9 [illegible]

TOLEDO Wheat $1 11 Corn [illegible]

CHICAGO DAIRY.

Chicago April 7 —Butter—Creamery extras 31, firsts 30, dairy extras 27 firsts 2[illegible]

Eggs—Prime firsts 22 firsts [illegible]

Cheese—Twins 12@13½ young Americas 14@14½ daisies 1[illegible] 14½

Live poultry—Turkeys 1[illegible], fowls 19@19½ spring chickens 1[illegible] 19½ ducks 1[illegible]@17½, geese [illegible]@13

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END OF CONVENTION AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Came with the Session Held Wednesday Night.

THE SESSIONS HAVE BEEN PROFITABLE

Much Enjoyed by the Sunday-School Workers of the County—Committees Are Named at Session Wednesday—An Interesting Address. Election of Officers.

Many helpful suggestions pertaining to the Sunday-school work were given in two interesting addresses at the opening session of the Marion County Sunday-School association at the First Presbyterian church, Tuesday afternoon. The attendance during the afternoon was quite large, and much interest was shown.

The devotions, which were to have been conducted by Rev. W. H. Huckeriede, of Prospect, were conducted by Rev S. C. Bates, of the Lee Street Presbyterian church.

In his opening address, Rev. F. E. Zechiel, president of the association, urged the workers to do away with all denominational feeling and cause themselves to feel at home.

The president stated that there was no need to discuss the importance of Sunday-schoo' work, as that has been gone over before. All workers must realize that the church is dependent upon the Sunday-school as a nursery in which to bring up the men and women of the church in the future.

Interesting Address.

One of the interesting addresses of the afternoon was that of Miss Sarah Myers, who spoke on the theme, "Primary Work.

In her talk, Miss Myers told of the means whereby any person interested in school work may become an able Sunday-school teacher. The teacher must be well informed, seeking at all times to gain new things for her pupils. By clipping, copying and studying at all times, the teacher will be able to obtain material of interest to her pupils. She must not forget that she is at the same time informing herself, and should strive to obtain material for her own information as well as that of her children.

"Our opportunities for temperance and missionary work were never greater," said Miss Myers. "We may influence the child to think seriously of the dangers along the pathway of life. All teaching is poor teaching that does not teach the child to love God."

Sensible Teachers Wanted.

"The teacher must be plainly sensible," continued Miss Myers. "She must not dress in such a fashion as to detract the attention of her pupils from the message which she brings to them. She must further be pious for there is no one who can reach others, who has not the qualities of manhood and womanhood which she recommends. Culture is not so important. There are many who with little culture are able to bring children into the Sunday-school and keep them there. A dancing, card-playing, theater-going man or woman can never, however, hold the hearts of the children. The teacher must be a pious, kind and diligent teacher, ever seeking to train the minds of the children."

Many new ideas in the organization of Sunday-schools were brought out by C. W. Shinn, of Cleveland. He was heard with close attention. Mr. Shinn spoke in part:

Much Lacking in Organization.

"In spite of all that has been said about the Sunday-schools and in spite of all the printed matter regarding the organization of schools, there is still much lacking in the proper kind of organization. There is too much organization of a kind in our schools. The organizations in our churches center about a few people. Frequently, the schools and classes are organized with a president and a secretary and then are turned loose. The persons elected are expected to take care of the work connected with it. It happens that very frequently these organizations fail.

"Although a school may be well organized, that does not insure its success. There must be workers behind it, who are willing to push and work diligently and in cooperation for the promotion of the work. We should have organizations in our Sunday-schools in order to secure team work.

Children Must Work Together.

The children must be willing to work together for the one common end. There must be a submerging of the interests of the individual with those of the whole body. Then, too, organizations are good for the location of responsibilities. Each person should have his work and be held responsible for its accomplishment."

Mr. Shinn advised that the various schools have a superintendent of music, one of finance, one of registration, one of temperance and one of mission work. There will be less friction when each person knows his duties and the limitation of them. All should work in various departments with one end in view, willing and ready to perform the duties to which they are assigned.

Tuesday evening Session.

Threatening storms did not materially affect the attendance at the Tuesday evening session of the convention. A good-sized audience of eager and interested Sunday-school workers gathered early, and keen attention was paid the speakers during the evening.

Shortly after 7 o'clock, the program was opened with Le Roy Zachman in cargo of the song service. After a number of selections by the Philharmonic orchestra, D. C. Nelson took charge of the devotions, and read the lesson of the evening from Luke 8, bringing out the thought that all Sunday-school teachers should be seed-sowers. Rev. G. M. Rourke offered the opening prayer.

Rev. F. E. Zechiel, president of the association, presented W. G. Clippinger, of Westerville, president of Otterbein university, who gave the first address of the evening. He was heard with close attention and his remarks were of very vital interest to the workers. His theme was 'A Sunday-School Conscience." The speaker said in part:

Sunday-School Conscience.

"A Sunday-school conscience is no different from any other kind of a conscience. Conscience is conscience. I can not stop to say the conscience should be the infallible guide in life. All of us have a conscience in the vital things of life. Some of us are vitally interested in Sunday-school work. Some of us think it is all right, but are not aroused to its importance. Others of us are tremendously interested in it. We all believe in the Sunday-school. When it came to a vote we would all be in favor of the schools, but when it comes to a demonstration of our interests in the work some of us are found to be just moderately in favor of them, and others are found to be most enthusiastic about them. I want to speak about the Sunday-school conscience, the quickening enlightening something about us that arouses us to the importance of the work, which keeps us ever awake to the newer possibilities.

"There is such a thing of a Sunday-school habit and that is a good thing but what is wanted today is that force which sends us out to do greater things, not content with present achievements.

Should Have Conscience.

"We should have such a conscience because of the history of the Sunday-schools of America. If you are a member of the International Sunday-School association, stand up square, look the world in the face, you are one of the workers in the greatest organization in the world. There are 25,000,000 pupils in the Sunday-schools of the world, 15,000,000 of whom are in America. What kind of people belong to the Sunday-school? Are they poor, ignorant and puny little people? Yes, those kind of people are taken in, but then, too, there are thousands of such Sunday-school workers at John Wanamaker and Heintz of the fifty-seven varieties fame. Men of the highest type in the world belong to the Sunday-school. So far as I know, there is not a secret organization having so many people in its ranks of such high character as the International Sunday-School association.

Yet, when we think about it, 25,000,000 people are not so very many in comparison with the number of people of the world. There is room for greater things. Let us have the Sunday-school conscience and have that awakening to a greater work."

C. W. Shinn, who was introduced as the next speaker, begged to change his subject on account of the similarity of his address with that given by Mr. Clippinger. He spoke upon the theme "The Benefits of the International Organization to the Individual Sunday-School" instead of "Are We Valuing the Sunday-School at Its True Worth?"

Mr. Shinn spoke of the state convention to be held at Cleveland June 14, 15, 16. A crowd of 10,000 men, active in Sunday-school work, will march through the main streets of the city at that time, Governor Harmon will review the parade, General Fred Grant will lead it and Evangelist "Billy" Sunday will address the crowd after it is over. In speaking of the benefits of the national organization to the individual school, Mr. Shinn said that it was a benefit inspirationally, educationally and spiritually.

After a brief song service, the evening session of the convention was closed, Rev. H. C. Berger pronouncing the benediction.

Wednesday Morning.

Considerable business was given attention at the session of the Marion County Sunday-school convention, Wednesday morning. Part of the forenoon was given to the reading of the reports of the various county officers for the past year and the appointment of the committees.

In the reports of the officers, it was shown that excellent work has been done in the schools.

The morning session was opened at 9 o'clock, with devotions in charge of Rev. C. E. Buerkle, of the German M. E. church. After a brief song service and preliminary remarks by Rev. F. E. Zechiel, president of the association, the business coming before the convention was taken up.

The following persons were named members of the committees:

Resolutions—Rev. C. E. Buerkle, chairman, Sarah Myers, Ernest Stuckey, Mrs. C. R. Harrison and Miss Bess Mills.

Nominations—Rev. G. M. Rourke, chairman, Mrs. Edith Ault, Miss Ida Ringer, Mrs. C. H. Cromer, Miss Amy Head, Mrs. T. J. Graham and Rev. E. L. Weatherwax.

The Morning Address.

G. W. Clippinger, president of Otterbein college, made the address of the morning, taking as his theme, "Teacher Training."

Mr. Clippinger emphasized the necessity of the training of teachers. The teacher must have preparation and must be trained in her work if not in a class, at least by reading and availing herself of every opportunity to gain new thoughts for her pupils.

In selecting teachers, the speaker said that young people, such as young High school graduates, should be chosen, if possible. Men should teach classes of men and the women should teach the women. At all times, Mr. Clippinger said, the Bible and not the lesson help should be used as a text book. The teacher must study the children, and she also must study the organization of which she is a part and attempt to do the best work possible.

The following officers were elected:

Rev. F. E. Zechiel, president; F. H. Owen, secretary; W. H. Hurr, treasurer; Miss Sarah Myers, superintendent of the elementary department; Jesse Coats, superintendent of the intermediate department; Rev. J. P. Currin, superintendent of the adult department; Rev. S. C. Bates, superintendent of the teachers' training department; Mrs. B. A. Urton, superintendent of the home department; Miss Elizabeth Rexroth, superintendent of the missionary department; John H. Bain, superintendent of the temperance department.

The following executive committee was chosen:

Rev. John Hobson, Mrs. Emma Gaston, W. W. Morral and F. O. Tuttle.

Wednesday Afternoon Session.

"The Genesis, Genius, Greatness and Glory of the Modern Men's Movement" was the theme of one of the most interesting and helpful addresses so far given in the sessions of the convention, by G. W. Clippinger, of Westerville, Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Clippinger was heard with very close attention as he pictured the growth of the modern men's movement, which just now is apparently at its zenith.

"We have a new conception of God today," said the speaker. "We do not think of Him as a person, a great mechanic, who built the world and then went far away, secluded Himself and looked upon His work as a mechanic. We now think of Him as the present God, Who is with us. Today, we are building up great hospitals for the lame, the blind, the halt, the defective and delinquent men of society. Men are beginning to recognize their own responsibilities to their fellows. We see God here and now, and endeavor to help our fellows, according to His wish. The great men's movement of today is one of the greatest evidences of bettered conditions and an approach to God. If all the men of the world everywhere are to be brought to Christ, all of the men of the church must be joined in the work. In the Sunday-school, this great movement has been started and it promises to do a mighty work."

Following the address of Mr. Clippinger, Rev. G. M. Rourke, chairman of the committee on nominations, reported. He stated that all of the Sunday-schools should be interested in the work. He declared that there were delegates from some of the schools who were not in attendance merely on account of carelessness and indifference.

Rev. F. E. Zechiel, the newly-elected president, and W. F. Hurr, the newly-elected treasurer, asked that new men be elected to take their places for the ensuing year. They, however, were induced to continue in the offices to which they were reelected.

The paper, "How May the Energies of Boys and Girls Be Used in Christian Work?" was not read. Miss Elizabeth Rexroth, who was to read the paper, being absent.

In the absence of Rev. J. P. Currin, who was to open the discussion on "The Necessity of a Teacher Training," Rev. H. V. McCleary, of Wesley M. E. church, was in charge of this part of the program.

The afternoon session was closed with a short song service. The benediction was pronounced by Dr. J. L. Hensley.

Had No Delegate.

At the Wednesday afternoon session of the convention, it developed that one of the best schools in the county was outside the association and had no regularly-appointed delegate to the convention. The school referred to was that at the local Waddell Children's home, south of the city.

While the business was being transacted at the convention, yesterday, the fact dawned upon the officers of the association that the smallest and in many ways the most insignificant school in the association was the only one to pay its dues a year in advance as was requested, in order to place the work on a cash basis. It was further found that the school in point of merit in Sunday-school work was one of the best in the county.

"There is an unusuall school," said President F. E. Zechiel. "That school stands in a class by itself. I feel like giving three cheers. Its Fairview, way down in Bowling Green township, and the smallest in the lot. I wish we could find another such school."

Represented by Hurr.

Later in the afternoon, while the delegates were being counted W. F. Hurr, superintendent of the Waddell Home was seen standing. After being counted, Mr. Hurr asked to give a word of explanation.

"I am not a delegate, but I represent our school at the home," Mr. Hurr said.

"There is the best school in the county," said President Zechiel with a smile broadening all over his face. "I visited it the other day. I have never seen its equal. The recitations were magnificent. I have a good corps of teachers in our Sunday-school, but I would hate awfully to have our pupils tested, in public at least, as those children were. The little ones knew as much as the big ones. It certainly is a satisfaction to know that our orphans are being trained in such a fashion. "Well, I guess Fairview has found its equal. That is the second school in the unusual list."

It has been suggested that the school at the Waddell home be taken into the association, and steps will be taken soon with this end in view.

Wednesday Evening.

A magnificent address by Dr. Joseph Clark, general secretary of the Ohio Sunday-School association thought by many to have been the banner feature, was the closing number on the program of the twenty-first annual convention of the Marion County association at the First Presbyterian church, Wednesday evening. The remarks of the speaker were delivered in an impressive manner, and a profound impression was made upon the Sunday-school workers.

The theme selected by Dr. Clark for the evening was "The Clarion Calls for Sunday-School Improvement."

As an introduction, the speaker stated that the Sunday-schools stand for improvement. It is not the plan of the workers to improve a township or a county organization, but to improve the schools everywhere.

"I hear a number of very insistent calls," said Dr. Clark. "Among these is the call for a wider and greater vision. If there is anything the church and Sunday-school workers need today it is a broad vision. I was born at a time when the churches were hostile to each other; they looked at each other with jealous eyes, and I am glad that I am living now in this new century when men and women are engaged in the service of God.

Denominational Rivalry Passed.

"It it not an age of denominational rivalry; that is behind us. It is a time of church unity. Let us all join hands and work together in this wider work with a wider vision. If you are a Presbyterian you ought to be glad that you are, and if you are a Baptist you ought to be glad, but you ought to be infinitely more thankful that you belong to the kingdom of God. We all have Jesus as our common guide, heaven as our common home and a lost world before us as our common objective for work. Cooperating we will be able to do things that he can not do separately."

Another call is that for education in the Sunday-schools. This is an age of education. Dr. Clark stated that if the children are not given a knowledge of the Bible in the Sunday-school they will not get it anywhere. In many cases the Bible can not be taught in the common schools and in some cases religious songs can not be sung. In order to understand the great men of history, we must know the Bible. These men used phrases from the Bible repeatedly. They were acquainted with the Bible and since there were no Sunday-schools in their time, there is evidence that they were students of the Bible in the home. We must have the Bible taught somewhere in order to have our children educated and it can only be taught in the Sunday-school.

Call for Trained Teachers.

In speaking of the call for trained teachers, Dr. Clark told at some length of the men's movement of today. "The movement was started in the adults' Bible class," the speaker said. "Let me say that right here in Marion you people had an adults' Bible class before this great movement was ever started for Sunday-school work on the part of the men. You had the Powell Sunday-school class. The Sunday-school work is a great work today. I would rather be the general secretary of the Ohio Sunday-School association than a Teddy Roosevelt, coming back from Africa. The opportunity is greater."

Following the address of Dr. Clark the committee on resolutions gave its report, which was read by Miss Sarah Myers. Appreciation was shown in the resolutions for the accommodations given and it was resolved that in the future, the workers will strive to pay up all dues promptly.

Rev. F. E. Zechiel pronounced the benediction.

Immediately following the session a meeting of the county officers was held.

London says the Prince Albert must go. Here's one case where we beat London to it, but we admit not a little assistance in reaching our decision to discard it to the moths.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS OF WEEK ARE NUMERDUS

Some of Them Are of Notable Proportions.

ONE OF THEM IS A $17,000 FARM DEAL

Another Deal Carries a Consideration of $10,000 for a Tract of Farming Land—Marion Deal of $10,000—A Bowling Green Farm Passes for Over $12,000.

John A. Anspach to Jacob Kaelber, lot in Marion, $2,400.

George S. Bain to Laura J. Rish, lot in Marion, $1,650.

Henry A. Beaver to Frank L. Berry, nine acres in Morral, $1,200.

Henry A. Beaver to Margaret A. Hawk, two lots in Morral, $170.

Jacob Benzler to Gottleib Keller and others, 100 acres in Marion township, $11,500.

James F. Bippus to Isaac L. Dickason, lot in Clifton, $80.

G. F. Parks to O. E. Barks, undivided half interest in 100 acres in Marion township, $4,000.

Sarah Clay to Christopher Clay, lot in Marion, one dollar.

George W. Crim to Dan Collins, 10¼ acres in Morral, $1,700.

Sarah Carey and others to William Imbody, 56¼ acres in Montgomery township, $2,492.

Florence R. Campbell to James A. Sickel, forty acres in Tully township, $3,130.

Marion Land company to Julia Lucas, lot in Marion, $800.

George P. Codding to Ralph Johnson, about four acres in Bowling Green township, $600.

French Crow to Abe Ackerman, 160 acres in Salt Rock township, $17,000.

Kay Davis to Rolland P. Perry, part of lot in Marion, $3,000.

Will E. Davis to Rolland P. Perry, part of lot in Marion, $3,000.

S. H. DeLong and others to Ezra Theodore Virden, forty acres in Montgomery township, $3,500.

Ella L. Dyer, executrix, to W. C. Firstenberger, thirty-eight acres in Pleasant township, one dollar.

Henry A. DeRoche to J. W. Jolley, lot in Morral, $650.

Isaac L. Dickason to William Hover, lot in DeCliff, $100.

Fannie Davis and others to Emanuel Drake, about fifty-one acres in Grand Prairie township, $4,110.

Benton E. Fish to E. L. Gray about forty-four acres in Green Camp township, $4,500.

Benton E. Fish to E. L. Gray, fifty-six acres in Pleasant township, $7,000.

Alona H. Gowey to Charles H. Felty, part of lot in Marion, $3,000.

George W. Groves to Della Sharrock, part of lot in Tree Locust, $1,200.

Elizabeth Groll to Sherman Maxwell, forty acres in Richland township, $2,800.

George E. Hedges to William R. Hedges, about 101 acres in Pleasant township, $9,600.

George E. Hedges to Winona Sifritt, 12½ acres in Pleasant township, $3,400.

John T. Hoyles to William Bauchman, three lots in Marion, $300.

Frank A. Huber to Jesse B. Walker, lot in Marion, $500.

Laura J. Hazen and others to John Hogan, part of lot in Marion, $4,200.

John James to Michael Tron, eighty acres in Montgomery township, $3,600.

Rosa Keller to James D. Chard, 100 acres in Marion township, $5,750.

Joseph Kruskamp, by administrator, to Catherine Kruskamp, lot in Marion, $1,650.

Adam G. Lauer to E. E. Holt, about 128 acres in Bowling Green township, $12,878.

R. W. LeFever to Gottleib Pfleiderer, about thirteen acres in Prospect township, $3,500.

Edward Miller to Richard V. Irvine and others, about thirteen acres in Montgomery township, $700.

William L. Mears to Richard V. Irvine, thirty acres in Montgomery township, $3,000.

Eva Metzger and others to A. S. Carnean, 125 acres in Scott township, one dollar.

A. J. Manley to Joseph A. Terry, thirty-seven acres in Montgomery township, $2,000.

William O. Nippert to W. T. Jones, lot in Marion, $400.

W. N. Neff to Edward C. Heinla, forty acres in Tully township, $2,800.

G. D. Oberdier to Nancy A. Oberdier, two lots in Marion, $100.

R. P. Perry to Will E. Davis and others, part of lot in Marion, $10,000.

Jeptha Parish to A. C. Brown, seventy-five acres in Grand township, $5,550.

R. P. Perry to Michael Zachman, seventy-two acres in Marion township, $10,000.

R. P. Perry to James Hinamon, part of two lots in Marion, $5,500.

Thomas Pryor to Ola Brown, lot in Marion, $1,400.

R. P. Perry to G. H. Uhler, part of lot in Marion, $3,500.

William Ruggles to Bert Coons, ninety acres in Big Island township, $7,000

John Reichardt to S. W. Foos, about forty-three acres in Green Camp township, $5,375.

Mont Smith to Harry E. Armstrong, forty acres in Richland township, $2,800.

Anna Stevens and others to R. D. Reed, lot in Marion, $1,500.

P. O. Sharpless to Pearl E. Curtis, part of lot in Marion, $925.

Winona Sifritt and others to Jacob Carey, about ninety-seven acres in Green Camp township, $10,000.

Milton C. Selanders to William Michels, lot in Waldo, $750.

Ruth A. Shoots and others to B. F. Shoots, part of lot in Marion, $600.

F. D. Trefz, by sheriff, to F. D. Trefz, two lots in Marion, $1,110.

Justice Uncapher and others to William Burns, part of lot in Marion, $800.

J. A. Virden to Roy Virden, twenty acres in Montgomery township, $1,100.

George Weidamaier to E. C. Heinla, eighty acres in Tully township, $6,000.

Harriest Weidamaier to E. C. Heinla, forty acres in Tully township, $3,000.

Mina M. Winter to W. H. Somerlot, 84½ acres in Green Camp township, $8,460.

Presley Wingo to Frank Wingo, lot in Marion, $1,000.

MOVES HIS FAMILY FROM MARTEL HERE

Infirmary Director George Weidamaier Likes Marion.

REV. J. E. JOHNSON IS TO PREACH EVERY SUNDAY

Will Have Charge of Disciple Church Services at Martel During the Coming Summer—Miss Blanche Gambol Leaves Delaware To Make Her Home with Her Mother.

Martel, April 7.—[Special.]—George Weidamaier, who was appointed infirmary director several months ago, moved his family and household effects to his new home in Marion, last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Winebeigler, of Galion, were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Burton, Monday and Tuesday.

Master John Jones, who has been seriously ill of measles and whooping cough for the past two weeks, is slightly improved. A trained nurse from Columbus was engaged, Saturday.

Mrs. Adeline Kerr and Mrs. Alice Evans made a business trip to Delaware, Monday. They were accompanied home by the latter's daughter, Miss Blanche Gambol, who will make her future home with her mother here, after having spent the past two years in Delaware.

H. L. Frances is the guest of his brother, John Frances, in Marion, this week.

Mrs. Sarah Jones, William Jones and daughters, Mildred and Mabel, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Glathart, Sunday.

Grover Adams, of La Rue, is making an extended visit at the L. A. Weirick home, south of town.

Rev. J. E. Johnson, of Marion, delivered a very interesting sermon at the Disciple church here, Sunday evening. He will have charge of the services of that church every Sunday afternoon and evening during the coming summer.

Mrs. G. J. Heileman and daughter Hazel are visiting relatives at Bucyrus.

Mrs. Harry Deweese and son, Forest, of Galion, were the guests of Mrs. Deweese's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Loyer, west of town, several days last week.

Mrs. W. S. Burton and son, Glen, visited at the W. I. Price home, in Bucyrus, from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Barbara Jacoby and Mrs. Nettie Slagle, of Bucyrus, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Jacoby here from Wednesday until Saturday.

Miss Dora Groves, of near Caledonia, was the guest of Miss Luella Early at the Mitchell Kilgore home, last week.

Mrs. John Burton visited her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Winebeigler, in Galion, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. P. W. Jacoby and Miss Lulu Markey were Bucyrus visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Samuel Neff and daughter, Marion, and Master Thomas McKinstry, of Bucyrus, spent Wednesday and Thursday at the John Neff home, northwest of town.

Miss Hazel Markey, who is attending High school in Marion, arrived home Friday for a week's vacation.

Emerson Brownlee, of Galion, is visiting at the Mason Boer home, south of town this week.

Miss Nellie Clark, of Marion, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Crissinger, in this village.

Miss Edna Frances, of Marion, is making an extended visit at the home of her father H. L. Frances, south of town.

Miss Bertha Winch, of Marion, is visiting relatives and friends in this village, this week.

Marion Crane and Miss Edna Decker, of Columbus were the guests of relatives and friends here from Saturday until Monday.

Every Paris gown now has its parasol as part of the costume.

DR. RHU HAS COLT BUT HE MUST PAY FOR IT

So Decides a Jury in the Court of Common Pleas.

ON MATTER APPEALED FROM JUSTICE'S COURT

Jury Returns Verdict of $79.43 Damages to Albert Irey for Colt Replevined by the Doctor—Whisky Exhibit as a Part of Bill of Exceptions.

Albert Irey, defendant in an action originally brought by Dr. A. Rhu in the court of Justice Charles H. Conley to replevin a horse, was given a verdict for $79.43 damages by a jury in the common pleas court, Wednesday night at 10:55 o'clock.

The trial began in the morning and the jury retired for deliberation at 2:30 o'clock. At 9 p. m., the foreman announced that the jurors could not agree, but Judge W. E. Scofield sent them back for further deliberations, with the result that they came to an agreement about two hours later.

More than a year ago, Dr. Rhu had a driving mare so badly injured that it was first thought the animal would have to be killed. The mare was turned over to Mr. Irey, however, with the understanding, so Dr. Rhu claimed, that he was to get her first colt. Irey claimed that nothing was said about the colt. April 10, 1909, Dr. Rhu brought a suit in replevin to recover the colt and a jury in Justice Conley's court awarded the colt to the doctor. Irey then took the case up on appeal to the common pleas court, and the result now is that Dr. Rhu will get to keep the colt upon the payment to Irey of the amount of damages awarded.

Attorneys DeGolley & DeGolley represented the plaintiff, and Attorneys Harry N. Quigley and Eymon & Thompson were counsel for the defendant.

The suit of Luther A. Briggs and others, executors, against Eugene U. Briggs and others, a civil action to recover certain farm rentals, was taken out of the assignment by Judge W. E. Scofield, Thursday, and the plaintiffs were given leave to file an amended petition by April 30.

Two suit-cases containing alleged whisky were brought to the office of County Clerk W. W. Klinefelter, Thursday, by Police Chief John Klinefelter and Attorney L. E. Myers. The exhibits will form a part of the bill of exceptions in the case of Emil Ackerman, who was fined in Mayor J. G. Selter's court for alleged violation of the Rose law.

In the suit of Marietta Holverstott against Emma Kennedy and others, the plaintiff, through Attorneys Mouser & Moloney, filed a demurrer to the cross-petition, Wednesday, in the common pleas court. She sets up that the defendants' cross-petition does not state sufficient facts to entitle them to the relief demanded, and a memoranda in support of the demurrer avers that no cause of action is stated for the reason that the allegations at best show nothing more than a debt against the estate of the late Peter W. Holverstott.

Norma Soliday was granted a decree of divorce from Grant Soliday by Judge W. E. Scofield, Thursday, and restored to her maiden name of Miller. She charged three years' wilful absence.

Judge W. E. Scofield, Thursday granted May Webb a divorce from Ira Webb and restored her to her maiden name of Barbee. She charged three years' wilful absence and extreme cruelty.

SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR THE SURVEYS

Of Three Proposed Electric Roads Are Being Taken.

Subscriptions for the surveys and reports of the three proposed electric lines—Marion, Mt. Gilead & Mt. Vernon; Mansfield, Mt. Gilead & Delaware, and Galion, Mt. Gilead & Delaware—are now being taken by a committee appointed at a meeting held at the Morrow county capital, last week.

The members of the committee are making an effort to raise $5000 for a comprehensive report on the possibility of constructing the three roads. Of the amount needed, $500 are in the treasury of the old company that was to build from Galion and $500 are subscribed. The promoting company guarantees to remit $1,500 of the cost, leaving $2,500 yet to be subscribed.

BIRTHS.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Mitchell, of south State street, are the parents of a son, born this morning.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Merkel, of east Center street, Monday.

Born, Tuesday, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Oren G. Diehl, of Herr street.

Born to Dr. and Mrs. G. T. Harding, Jr., of Columbus, Tuesday, a daughter.

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